The Elm

1953

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(Ha Ha) Keep up your
good work in music.
Good luck in your
musical career.

Rondi Hays

Dear Jackie,
Well we've
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better friends this
year & have had fun.
Never forget the night
the two of us went to
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fell asleep.
Good luck next year
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Get your part
Don't
See ya next year.
Love Ann
Metz

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get your part
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See ya next year.
Love Carol

Dear Jackie-
I'll see you
the next year, & hope
around me & have a happy
and successful in the Queen
that you make Clyde Queen

Jackie, Hope
grades don't
to much - Be
during the summer.
swell girl - Barbara Reed

Hi Jackie
Tried hard to read
ya thro English, but
that's the way it goes.
Bi Jackie
Frank Jan Straley

Jackie
Sure is a hammock
Ah sweet bliss
All of a sudden
They went like mad
Marshall Dick

To Jackie
a real crazé driver
Scholar & so-forth
goodbye, goodluck
see you next yr.
DOROTHY

Jackie Good
luck in your Senior
year and always,
Jan Constant

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and successful in the Queen
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Love Nancy Dillenburg

Dear Spanish
student - Hi
Jackie Woody
Good Luck Wilhoit
Senior year.
Nancy Dillenburg

Dear Jackie
Lots of Luck &
happiness in
the future. I hope
I get to be a senior too.
I think it's so funny
about (you know what)
Have loads of fun when you're a
senior. Always,
Greta

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Lots of Luck &
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Greta

To
Dear Jackie a Good
Luck Wish
From a Good Fiddler
Love,
Sharon

Dear Jackie,
Have lots of fun
your senior year
I honor you will.
Love Jackson

Dear Jackie,
Have lots of fun
your senior year
I honor you will.
Love Jackson

Dear Jackie,
Lots of luck
in your senior year
and always
Love
Carla Mitchell

Dear Jackie,
Lots of luck
in your senior year
and always
Love
Carla Mitchell

Jackie
Lots of luck to you
keep Suzy going
Have a wonderful
senior year. Love ya
Love Joyce Ramewood

Jackie —
I was glad to meet
you in Gym and
I hope to see
you next year
Love Joyce Ramewood

Jackie —
Lots of luck to a kid who really
keep Suzy going into circles
Have a wonderful time your
senior year. Love ya
Byron Stinger
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13 Letty
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Bohn
Crazy Times at
Old 9th. Good
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Oscar Jackie
we see we've have
had fun in Art
Do one see Art
Have fun in
year
I see you
& miss
Love
Paul & Karin

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we see we've have
had fun in Art
Do one see Art
Have fun in
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I see you
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Love
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Jackie
Lots of luck to you
in your future
Love
Carla

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Lots of luck to you
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Love
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HI YA JACKIE —
IT'S BEEN A LOT OF
FUN KNOWING YOU —
I HOPE YOU HAVE A
NICE SUMMER & A
LOT OF LUCK ——
LOVE,
CAROLOTTLEY ——

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Jackie
To the poor girl
who always falsely
pretended for
talking in Eng!
Good Luck
Tommy Gilmore

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Good luck
to a gal who really
knows her Eng VI
Larry Gifford

Dear Jackie,
You have been
a good student. Hall
pal, and must have
really done some
cutting up. See you
this summer & you
after Harry leave
Karen
Wedemeyer

Dear Jackie,
You are honestly a
swell kid to pester
I know I'll see you
this summer and be
sweet your a man. - At least I'll
be a very sweet Gal.
Adorable
Love
Janie

Jackie
Have a
wonderful
summer and
great senior
Year - stuff
Now Your
Compan

Johnny Bearcat takes Jackie Joyce
for a whirl through the records of 1953.

Love & Luck to
a real sweet
girl
Love,
Dorrie Scherotke

Dear Jackie,
May bad luck follow
you all the rest of your
life, but never quite
catch up with you.
might have been nice
knowing you longer

Sal Rae

Hi Jackie
Glad I've
a session
make or
Junk
Dwight

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swell kid to pester
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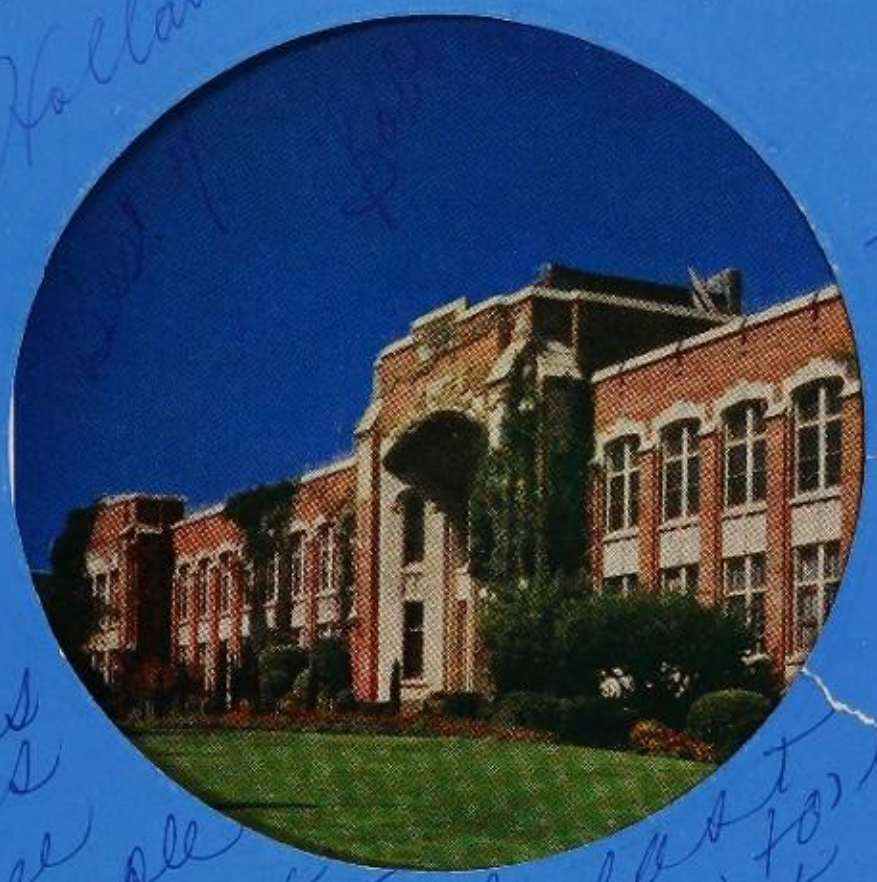

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Jackie –
You're so sweet
See ya next year
It'll be neat if we
get in another language
class together. Don't
change. Love, Dixie

Jackie
Time is so much
over left – but
lots of luck and
way. Love
Dennie Miller
– P.E.

Hi Jackie
Lots of
intriguing
luck in your
Senior year.
Jack Cohen

Dear Jackie –
We've had a
terrific time these
last 3 years. Be
as nice next
years as you
are now and
you'll go a
long way.
Love
Sally

what Dixie soap
does around for
me

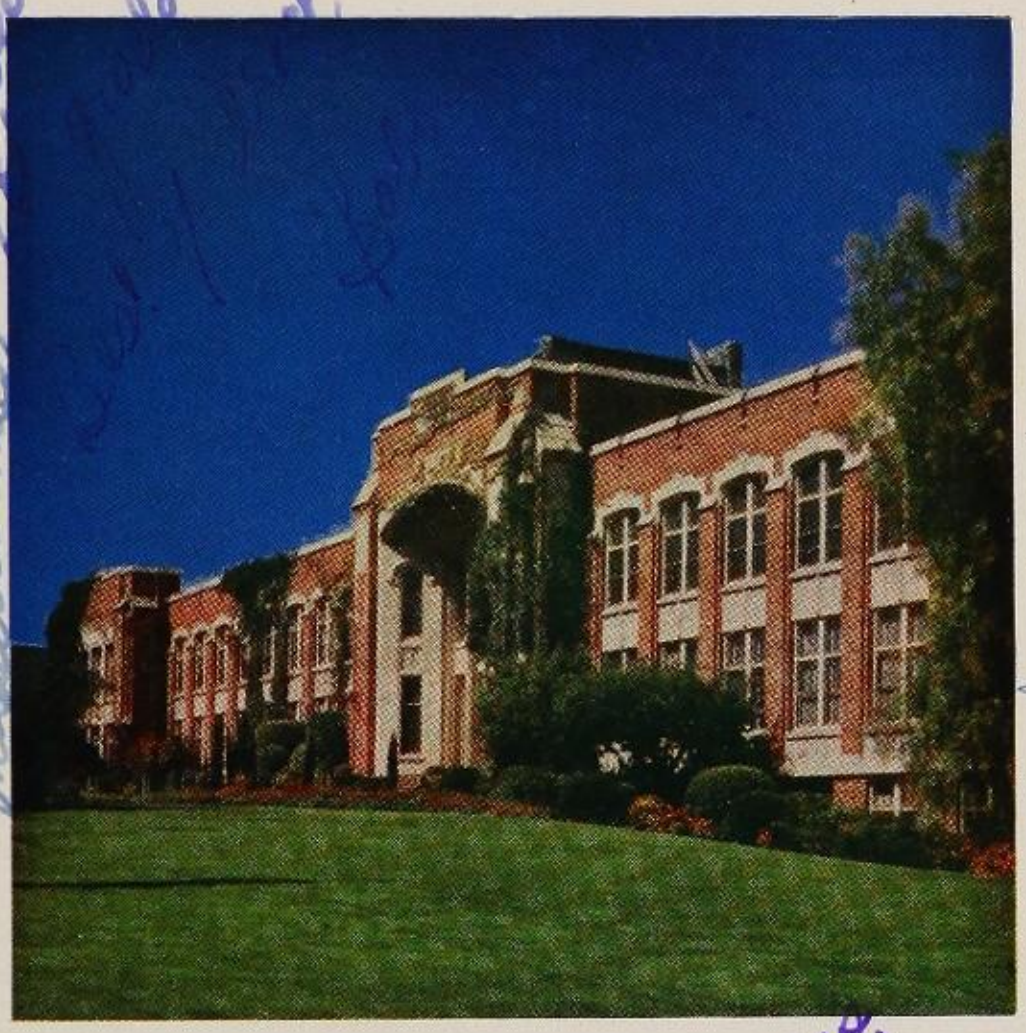
Dear Jackie –
Here's hoping you
have a wonderful
summer vacation + lots
of luck in the future. to
come
Love many Mac.

Dear Jackie –
Hearts of love and
look in the future. Do
good in Wide Wide World – Don't
forget us.
Bobb Wiles

Jackie, I'll miss you!
Hope you have a wonderful summer.
Please write me.
Love, Jackie

To Jack
We a swell and
wonderful kid
Luck, what a

Jackie,
It sure has
been fun having
you in Chemistry
and English. We
sure had a ball
when we were partners
last semester.
Have fun this summer.
Love,
Barbara
Bogart



Dear Jackie,
Is she or greatest
friends a girl could
have. I'll always
remember, you and the
great times we've had
together. I'll see you
this summer. ya always,
Love
K. Lee

Dear Jackie
It just been
wonderful getting
to know you these
last 3 years, & may
we stay just as nice as
you are always.
Love,
Pen

Jackie,
I wish to say
that I've enjoyed
your friendship even
though we had a little
trouble. Best of
luck, always.
Harry Messick

"Orange and black we honor
emblem of loyalty
proudly waving onward before us
leading us to victory
fighting for Old San Mateo High
gladly we do or die
loudly the answering echo
from far and near rings out the cheer
to our own San Mateo High"

"MUSIC, MUSIC, MUSIC"

Slide into the groove, cats, and let's us take a little journey through the pages of the craziest yearbook ever to grace the shelves of a San Matean. You see, mates, this year's Elm is revolving around the record theme, so grab your partner and let's whirl, because station ELM is about to go on the air.

This station isn't like the other stations you hear—it broadcasts only once a year, its listeners are a very select few, and its music has a very special meaning. For this station is devoted to San Mateo High, and it makes a sincere attempt to picture the life, the students, the faculty, the campus and the activities at Bearcatville. Words and pictures are the way the station reaches you, the reader, and the music is only a way of making the words more attractive to you.

The disc jockey is ready to present this year's program, so let's tune in and give a listen. The lights are dimmed, the announcements over, the ELM is on the air again.

"For tonight's first song", drones the jockey, "we have a request for a number entitled the 'Sunny Side of the Street'." It doesn't take us long to spot the purpose of this opening selection—its a tribute to the student government at San Mateo High. We can detect a reference to the officers, commissioners, representatives, and faculty advisors who combine their willingness and interest to try to make San Mateo High a better school and keep us on the "Sunny Side of the Street".

The opening number over, the disc jokey carefully flips the record over and discloses that the next song will be "To Each His Own". This is obviously dedicated to the variety and range of the clubs at S. M.; wander down the halls almost any noontime, and you can glimpse within the doors of the rooms the work and interest that is involved in a club at school. The variety is designed to satisfy all—those gifted along scientific lines, those who represent the school on the athletic field, and those who entertain the school on the stage—all are part of the daily routine at San Mateo.

Next on station ELM's parade of favorites will be a ballad that comes up on every year's program—"Sentimental Journey". This number also has no hidden significance—it is plainly dedicated to the social events that dot the school calender. Such noteworthy occasions as the senior ball, the junior prom, the French club annual, the A.G.S. dance, and the Elm-sponsored after-game dances each require much work on the part of many people, result in a general good time, for all, and deserve a special place on Station ELM's parade.

"Take Me Out to the Ball Game" rings out in all its athletic glory next in this lineup of memories. The musclemen who have so much to do with making high school life the fun it is are due no little praise and tribute by our all-seeing disc jockey. We yell our collective heads off at any demonstration of the athletic marvels that bear the orange and black label, issuing our seasonal approval of the San Mateo representatives in football, basketball, swimming, track, tennis, baseball, or golf, whether we should be fortunate enough to win the championship or not. But, strangely enough, you don't often hear complaints about the athletic teams representing San Mateo High.

The disc jockey confesses to something of a let down after this wholesale outburst of spirit, and can muster up a feeling of genuine melancholy as he solemnly dedicates his next number. "Hail, Hail, the Gang's All Here" sings out this cordial title, perhaps a symbol of the cordiality and friendship that is so obvious, yet so unnoticed, at San Mateo. For this is the song that gives a slap on the back to everybody, this is where everyone can find his picture—this is the section reserved for the classes. The freshmen, named thus because they are "fresh" from the eighth grade and unwise to the workings of a machine the size of San Mateo High School; the sophomores, wise to the point of conceit, yet young in comparison with their upperclass brothers; the juniors, at the peak of interest participation, endeavor, and spirit, but yet to reach full realization of what they represent; and the seniors, standing on the threshold of their careers, and left with decisions and problems that confound and intrigue them.

The deft disc-handler becomes the height of his sentimental self as he announces the final number, "After the Ball is Over". It signifies the end of another year, another year with a different meaning to every person who experienced it. A slow one, perhaps, for the freshmen and sophomores, but a very fast one for the seniors who say goodbye to possibly the happiest year in their budding life. The ball **is** over, but, as the song goes, the memory lingers on, and it brings back reminders that will make it an enjoyable memory and one that can never be replaced.

And with this parting wish our friend hangs up his microphone, stores away his records for another year, and station ELM once again disappears from the airwaves.

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FALL EX-BOARD

SPRING EX-BOARD

THE CONTINENTAL

EX-BOARD

Ex-Board, the revolving Wheel of Fortune of San Mateo High, promptly swung into motion under the direction of Dick Hunt, Student Body President. This democratic legislative body, composed of one representative from each home room and all Commissioners and students body officers, held weekly meetings to discuss and plan activities for all students.

A P.T.A. drive sparked by student leadership was first on the program. The result was a record-breaking membership with the highest percentage of members in the history of the school. Eagerness and enthusiasm were exhibited in many other ways during the fall. Several noontime rallies presented by the Rally Commission helped to increase school spirit and attendance at football games. At the suggestion of the president bus transportation was provided for all games played away from home. A Colors Week preceded the Little-Big game. All boys, girls, and teachers discovered wearing red were brought to trial before a court and sentenced to severe punishment. It was not unusual to see boys wearing lipstick and their shirts backward and girls with their socks rolled up and their hair braided in numerous pigtails. A rally and dance climaxed the activities before the annual Turkey Day Tilt.

A mock election preceding the nation-wide election provided an experience in democracy for all students. Speeches were given by Eisenhower and Stevenson enthusiasts at a noontime rally and voting was by secret ballot at special booths. True to the saying "As San Mateo goes, so goes the nation", Eisenhower was the victor.

For the first time in the history of the school a noon intermural sports program was successfully organized and executed by the Recreation Commission. Basketball, volleyball, and ping-pong tournaments were held with prizes going to the winners.

A Clean-Up Campaign was begun after a student committee reported that the disorderly appearance of the school grounds and neighboring property wasn't fitting for our school. This committee, headed by the Community Service Commissioner, sponsored a poster and an editorial contest with the winner of each division receiving a free Elm. A committee from fifth period study daily inspected the grounds and reported its findings to the student body by means of posters on the bulletin board. Signs reminding students to throw their papers in trash cans were posted in vital spots around the school.

In February Andy Andersson succeeded Dick Hunt as President. Top tune on the spring Hit Parade was an all school carnival in April. Plans for this gala affair were begun in the fall when Dick appointed Jan Wisnom Chairman of the Carnival Committee. As a result of the excellent planning and publicity, which included notices in the town papers and a parade consisting of several floats, a huge crowd spent a most delightful evening amid the noise and excitement of the festivities. Features of the carnival were booths and concessions sponsored by school clubs and organizations such as shaving the balloon, pie-throwing, and the grab bag, and a dance over which a king and queen were elected to reign.

Another momentous occasion at San Mateo High was the inauguration and dedication of the new, long-awaited auditorium. With visions of future assemblies, plays, and other activities in the auditorium everyone readily agreed that a "Great Day" was indeed here. Soon after the opening of this magnificent building, the Drama Commission presented "Our Town", a unique play by Thorton Wilder. The all school talent show was another outstanding feature.

Walt Hayes was appointed to head a committee to study and revise our constitution and to bring it up to date. The duties of the officers and commissioners were re-defined. The Nominating Committee was abolished in favor of a declaration by each candidate of his intention to run for office. The adoption of a code of By-Laws shortened the Constitution and increased its flexibility and usefulness. A Student Code, which follows the theme of democratic living, was also adopted by Ex-Board. This document provides a standard for our school and puts into writing some of the ideals which were understood up to this time. It is hoped that this code will become a living part of San Mateo in the years to come.

A rally honoring track, swimming, baseball, tennis, and other spring sports was held in May. This rally, designed to stimulate more interest in the spring athletic events, featured skits poking fun at rivals, musical entertainment and singing, and yells led by the cheerleaders. Highlight of the assembly was a talk given by the guest of honor, Bob Mathias. The Dance Commission also had an active year. Whether it was dancing in a luster of stars at the French Club Formal or in a paradise of coral and deep sea life or with your Prince Charming at "Cinderella's Ball", a wonderful time was had by all. The A.B.S. sponsored several informal dances in the spring, and the Elm Staff was in charge of these after-night athletic events.

The Art Commission was kept busy creating unusual and attractive banners for the hall announcing coming events. Members of this commission decorated the show case with displays ranging from modern design techniques to exhibits from the radio and mechanical departments. Scores of all athletic events and notices of future games were posted daily on a new bulletin board above the display case.

During the course of the year several new clubs were organized. The Camera Club for all those interested in photography is in charge of taking pictures at all school events such as dances and fun nights. The Nurses Club, organized through the health department, acquaints girls interested in nursing with the profession. The Red Cross organization has also become quite active. Besides heading the annual drive for funds, it collected books for children in hospitals.

This is your disc jockey for 1952-1953 signing off and inviting you to tune in next year when we will spin more records about your Ex-Board.

A. B. S.

FALL A.B.S. OFFICERS

TY TEKAWA
Secretary

CHARLES LAX
Vice-President

TOM GUIDRY
President

FALL A.B.S. BOARD

FIRST ROW, left to right: Tom Guidry, Fred Bjork, T. Barrie, Ty Tekawa, M. Pellzner, D. Kernick, B. Stales, Wayne Fujito, B. Bertron, C. Gates. SECOND ROW: G. Hoffman, W. Ashtord, R. Devincenzi, J. Rollings, J. Rowan, G. Myers, D. Curnow, B. Goodwin, P. Harris. THIRD ROW: R. Hagenah, T. Wisnom, R. Pillon, B. Snyder, W. Sims, C. McClennan, L. Otley, R. Stall, H. Stonelake, L. Gilmore. FOURTH ROW: J. Cobot, R. Hendrichs, D. Creighton, D. Nelson, G. Ashby, Jack Finney, B. Kahler, K. Little, A. Melodia, R. Rautman.

FALL A.B.S. CABINET

FIRST ROW, left to right: Ty Tekawa, Bob Snyder, Dick Kernick, Fred Bjork. SECOND ROW: Tom Guidry, Harry Stonelake, Jim Rollings.

SPRING A.B.S. OFFICERS

HENRY LACKNER
President

BOB LASLEY
Vice-President

CHARLES CORDES
Secretary

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FIRST ROW, left to right: Dick Anderson, Charles Cordes, Marv Pellzner, Howard Pellzner. SECOND ROW: Henry Lachner, Gordon Steindorf, Roger Smith, Chuck Waltz.

A. G. S.

FALL A.G.S. CABINET

LEFT TO RIGHT: Al Nichols, Sally Holmes, Joan Andreson, Yvonne Tracy, Carol Ghielmetti, Joyce Kerr, Les Heathcote, Carol Jachens.

FALL A.G.S. OFFICERS

YVONNE TRACY
President

LES HEATHCOTE
Vice-President

SALLY HOLMES
Secretary

FALL A.G.S. REPRESENTATIVES

FIRST ROW, left to right: M. E. Andersen, E. Thompson, L. Heathcote, F. Been, D. Espirito, S. Hanson, N. Jackson, E. Morse. SECOND ROW: J. Kerr, S. Holmes, S. Beise, M. Day, C. Ghielmetti, Y. Tracy, S. Tyler, B. James, F. Krusic. THIRD ROW: L. Player, D. Hudson, L. Whitney, C. Birnbaum, B. Storey, M. Waymer, C. Keith, A. Feldman.

SPRING A.G.S. CABINET

LEFT TO RIGHT: June Ikeda, Sandra Stallings, Kay Thomas, K. Lee Manuel, Ann Ray, Margie Head, Sheila Long, Judy Grant, Sally Holmes.

SPRING A.G.S. OFFICERS

MARGIE HEAD
Vice-President

KAY THOMAS
President

KAY LEE MANUEL
Secretary

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FIRST ROW, left to right: C. Burke, B. Hoover, D. Zoppi, J. Eschenauer, A. Trunella, E. Di Tos, C. Sandell, S. Bicey, C. Salbert, M. Chow, B. Buckman. SECOND ROW: C. Ausve, Joanne, Peggy, M. Fredianelli, M. Newton, M. Rigdon, C. Artz, C. McMurty, N. Compeau, N. Lagen, B. Gillis, C. Brenan, F. Sano, E. Tanjuacto. THIRD ROW: C. Bacon, M. Head, K. Manuel, A. Radebaugh, B. Ravetti, G. Wiest, D. Affolter, G. Freeman, M. E. O'Keefe, J. Angier, M. Lund, C. Muncey, S. Holmes, B. Grinnel. FOURTH ROW: D. Harlowe, J. Carlson, N. Jackson, E. Reynard, S. O'Neill, T. Savage, L. Greve, B. Meter, M. Masachinni, K. Kline, E. Morse, C. Garrison, D. Disney.

CLASS

FALL

President—CURTIS LEMMON

Vice-President—ROGER DILLAN

Secretary—NANCY COLBY

of '56

SPRING

DAVE HAMILTON—President

ROGER DILLAN—Vice-President

NANCY COLBY—Secretary

CLASS

FALL

President—DICK MESSICK

Vice-President—JILL SHINER

Secretary—JANICE CORDES

of '55

SPRING

CHUCK WALTZ—President

RAY ALIAMUS—Vice-President

BEV MILES—Secretary

CLASS

FALL

President—BILL ODOM

Vice-President—DICK LYMAN

Secretary—K. LEE MANUEL

of '54

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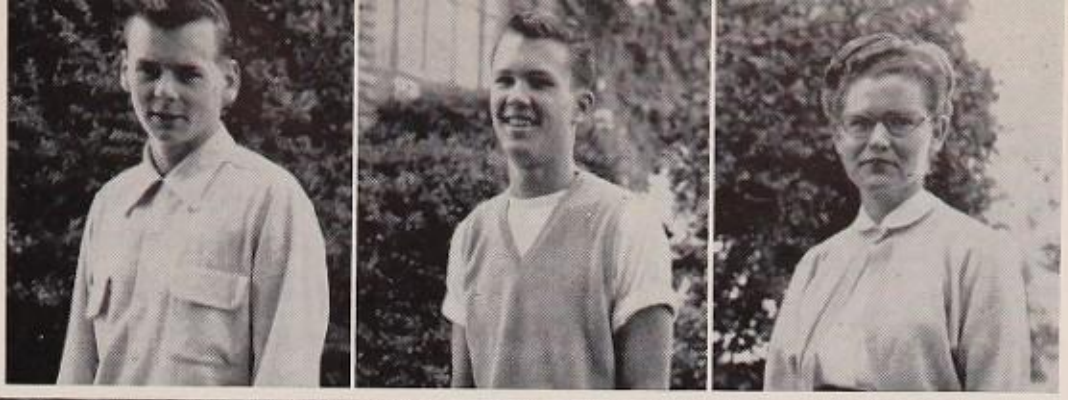

JR. COUNCIL

FALL

FIRST ROW, left to right: Audrey O'Neil, Pat Hogberg, Jerry Boots, Marilyn Dunn, Joe Christianson, Maureen Day, Bernice Barone. SECOND ROW: Warren Danielson, Dick Lymon, K. Lee Manuel, Bill Odom, Gail Burnstein, Bob Schumacher, Bob LeMar.

SPRING

FIRST ROW, left to right: D. Wild, Dolores Rector, Bobbie Hoover, Kris Kristofferson, Carla Burmester, Dennis Daniels, Marlene Sullivan, Cynthia McMurtry. SECOND ROW: Jerry Boots, Bob Hill, Ron Devencenzi, Merv. Dietz, Bill Odom, Bob Schumacher, Dick Pyman, George Heberling.

"There's a Long, Long Trail A'winding"

As you glance through your record album, you remember the hits of the year. As freshmen, sophomores and juniors you each had your note to carry, and when they were all put together they came out true and mellow, a big hit tune. The records of all three classes look pretty sharp as you seemed to play in the key of A—for active. Now let's review the record of 1952-1953.

FROSH

For you, frosh, the record began a little slowly, as you were uncertain in your new school. But as the school days spun around you seemed to catch on to the rhythm and you grew to like it. At your first assembly you heard the campaign speeches of your class office candidates and afterward you elected Curt Lemmon, Roger Dillan and Nancy Colby. Then you held a "get acquainted" assembly to familiarize you with your school government and officers and also to install your class officers. Now you all co-operate in producing your first fun night, complete with dancing, games and refreshments. Your second semester officers, Dave Hamilton, Roger Dillan and Nancy Colby, plan a vocational assembly and you select your Frosh-Soph cheer leaders for next year. Of course you contribute a booth to the carnival. You end the year with a tour of the school for the eighth graders and you feel mighty proud. Your first record is over and you've carried the tune remarkably well. Now you can look forward to next year as sophomores.

SOPHS

Now as sophs, you're on your own. You choose sharp class officers to lead you. Dick Messick, Jill Shiner and Janet Cordes start off the record with a slam-bangin', rip-roarin' Soph Fun Night. Your officers—Chuck Waltz, Ray Aliamos and Bev Miles add a new note—a Sophomore Council! Now your representatives arrange a soph skate. Your next event is a booth in the grand school carnival. You've gone out on your own this year and you've set an example of originality and initiative for all the other classes to follow. And now you are ready for your next year and a little different tune as you will become upperclassmen.

JUNIORS

Your record starts in nothing flat. As soon as you elect Bill Odom, Dick Lyman and K. Lee Manuel, your sharp new officers give you a nothing-less-than-terrific fun night. The tune changes to soft and sentimental with the presentation of your Junior Prom, Coral Paradise. The lovely music of Elmer Vincent and the unique underwater decorations earn this Junior Prom the title of "best ever." Under the leadership of Dennis Daniels, Kris Kristofferson and Carla Burmester, you run a stand selling cotton candy at the carnival. Next you combine fun with money-making, and what a combo! The Rolladium hosts the ball-bearing fans and you cash in on both accounts. You repeat that part of the record about "fun night," and again you have a hit. All through the year the tune has been sweet and true; you've hit no sour notes. With this record behind you, you feel ready for your big whirl—your senior year!

"School Daze With Cornelius Van Dripilhimer"

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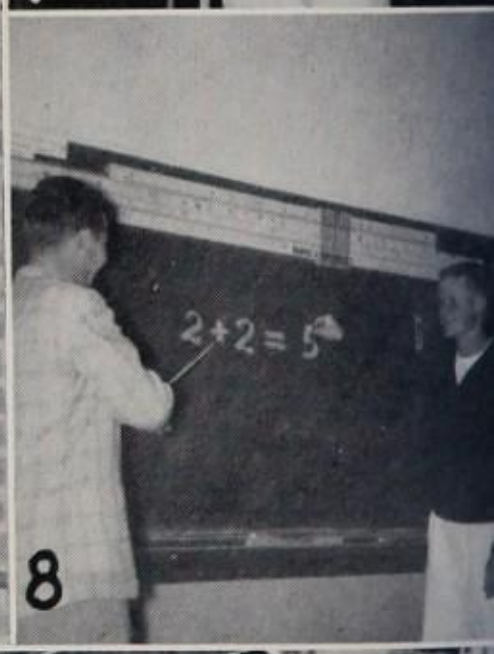

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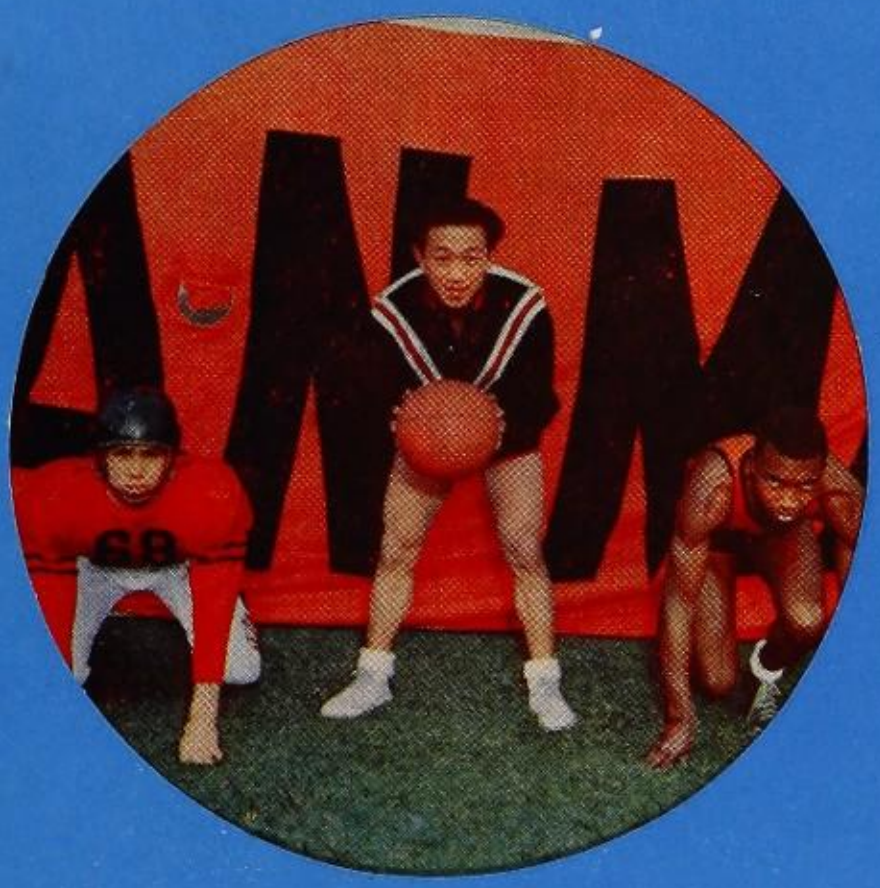
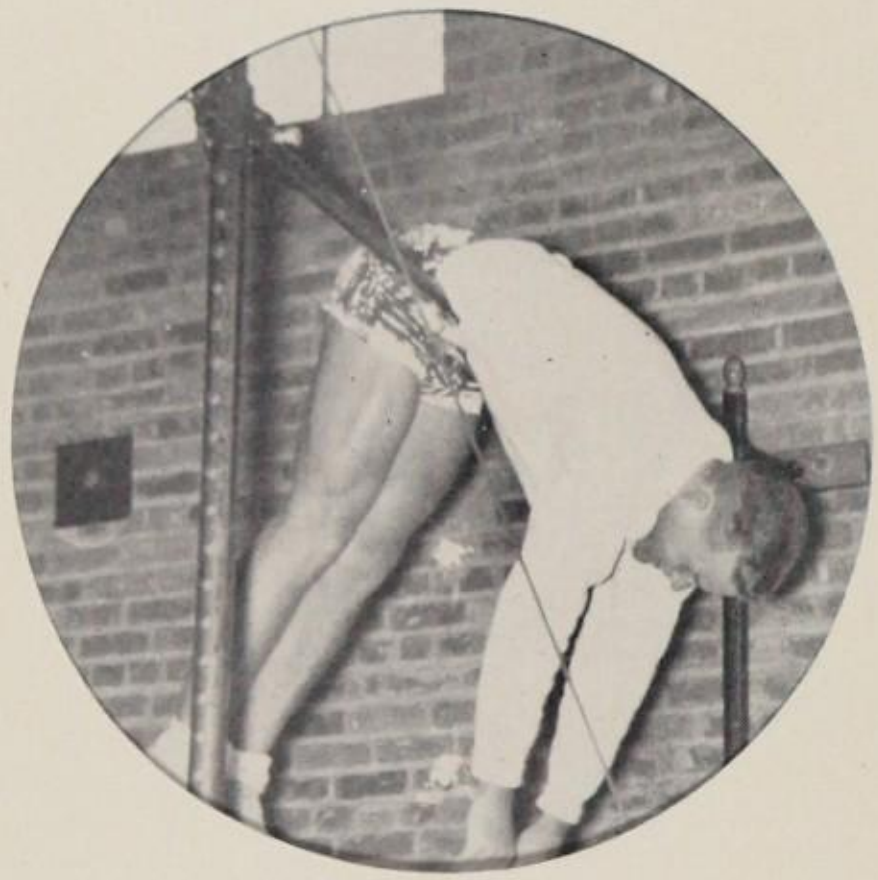
1. Oh hum! Another day.
2. Slurrp!
3. But I had three flat tires . . .
4. ECON?????
5. Star of fourth period Typing.
6. Ooof!
7. Buddies of second period Biology
8. Advanced Algebra.
9. "To be or not to be" . . . Eng. VII??
10. Noon-time Romeo.
11. Going home?
12. Beddy-by.

Dear Jackie.
We sure had
fun this year.
I'll never forget
those double dates
we went on. We
sure had a lot of
fun. You were
a sweet girl
see you this summ-
Love,
Claudia

SPORTS



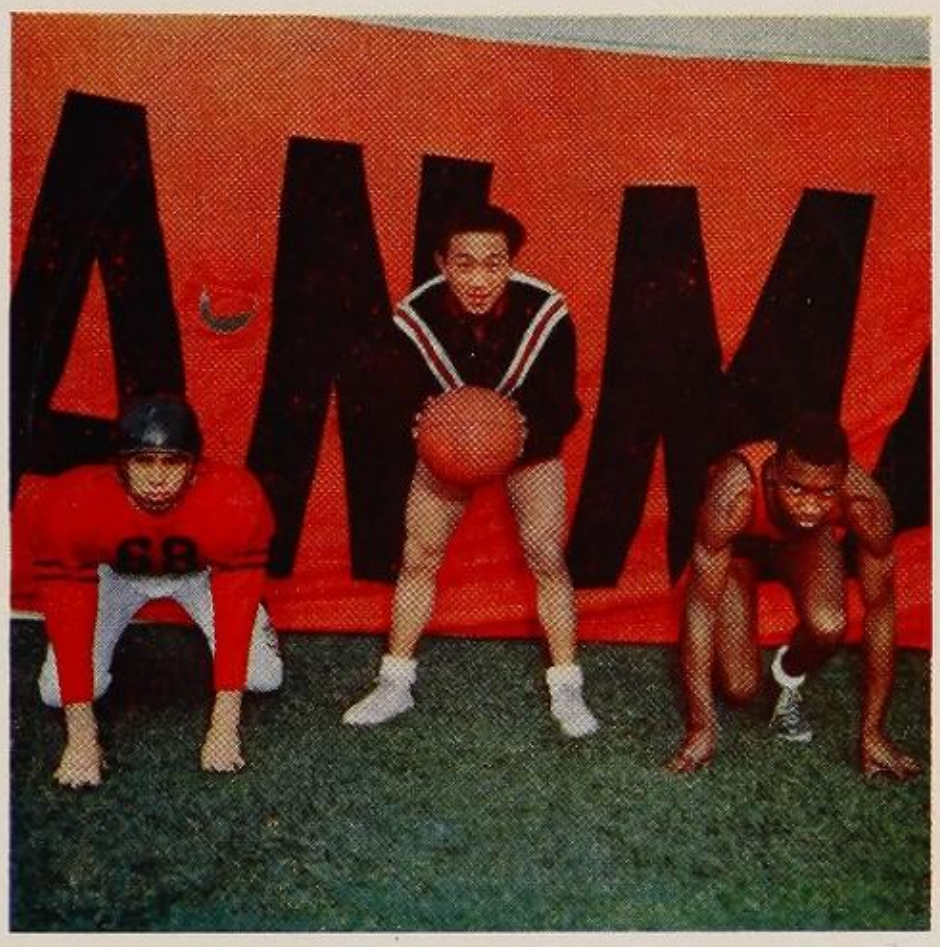
to a good kid
lots of luck sel
you next year
Don Roach



Jackie
Grace is
have miss
ed since
as much.
really
of fun.
cute.
easy
sort
Ever

We
had a
real
Let's
take it
some
Don't
forget
lots
of love
Phil

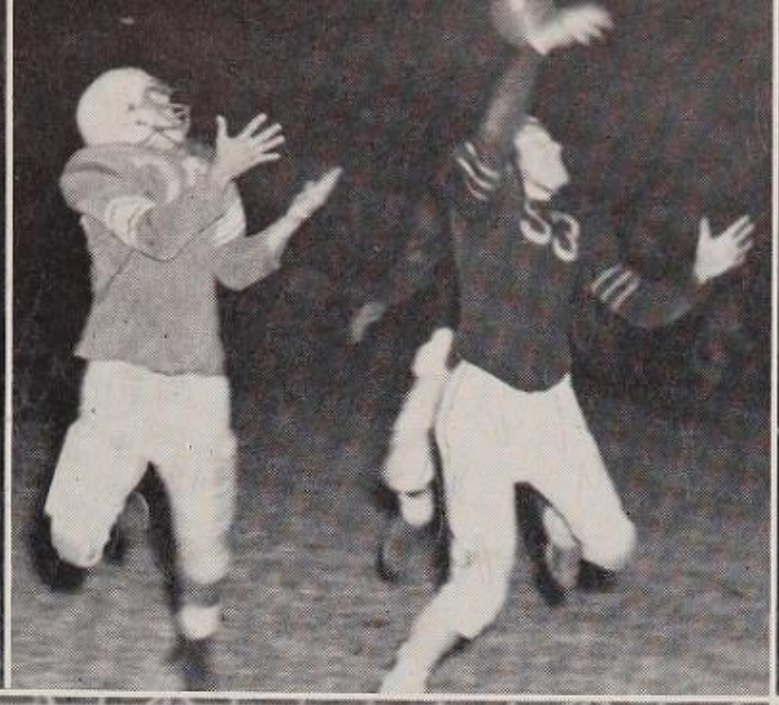
To a girl I would
like very much
to know a lot better
Larry Hunt



Dear Jackie
Its been fun knowing
you these past few
years. Good luck in
your senior year and
have lots of fun
this summer
Love,
Nancy Darcy

VARSITY

FIRST ROW, left to right: Dick Hunt, Andy Andersson, Bob Wilkinson, Tom Barrie, Bob Rodriguez, Bob Harris, Dan Douglas, Charles Lax, Tom Guidry, Charles McLennan, Jack Rowen, Jim Gilkey. SECOND ROW: Lepoleon McLemore, Kenji Matsuda, Ben Hanada, Fred Shuler, Phil Harris, Leroy Ottley, Bill Odom, Elmer Yamada, Ralph Wensinger, Stan Kompst, Dave Gansel, Henry Torres. THIRD ROW: Dick Rautmann, Jim Whitaker, Angelo Aguiar, Roland Fujito, Jim Hensel, Walt Sims, Gary Cable, Dick Huston, Norton Ziegler, Roy Gustafson, John Eberhardt, Larry Hunt.



Pre-season favorites to cop the coveted PAL crown the Bearcats of San Mateo wound up in a fifth place tie with Willow Glen. This year's Little-Big contest was more than a traditional one as both the Bearcats and the Panthers stood on top of the league. A win for the Mateans would have given them a championship tie with Lincoln, while a Burlingame victory would have given them undisputed possession of the league's top rung. Once again, as has been the case for the past six years, the Blingums stopped the insipired attack of the Cats 26-21 with a great second half splurge.

The first bid of the young season was against Monterey. This contest ended in a 7-7 tie, with Tom Guidry scoring the only touchdown on a pass from Ralph Wensinger.

Hayward was stopped 21-20, as Roland Fujito scored the game-winning six-pointer on a pass from Wensinger. Bobby Wilkinson proved to be the hero as he kicked three straight conversions.

One week after Capuchino was snowed under 37-0, Jefferson fell to the inspired defensive play on the part of the Cats. Leroy Ottley, Woody Wilmore and Chuck McClennan turned in standout performances. Wensinger and Guidry tallied to account for the final count of 14-0.

San Jose, next hazard, stunned the Mateans with a great second half rally. The Bulldogs emerged 33-20.

Previously undefeated South City fell to a supreme team effort, with Guidry, Wensinger and Mickey Lax shining in the 21-13 victory.

Seven days after Menlo-Atherton succumbed 26-6 on McConville Field, Palo Alto dashed the Bearcat's title hopes with a jaring 7-7 tie.

The Cats lost a heartbreaker in the finale to Burlingame. Two blocked kicks spelled disaster for the Mateans as both resulted in Panther tallies. Blingum's Bill Wells raced into the end zone five minutes too soon for a Bearcat win.

SAN MATEO	7
MONTEREY	7

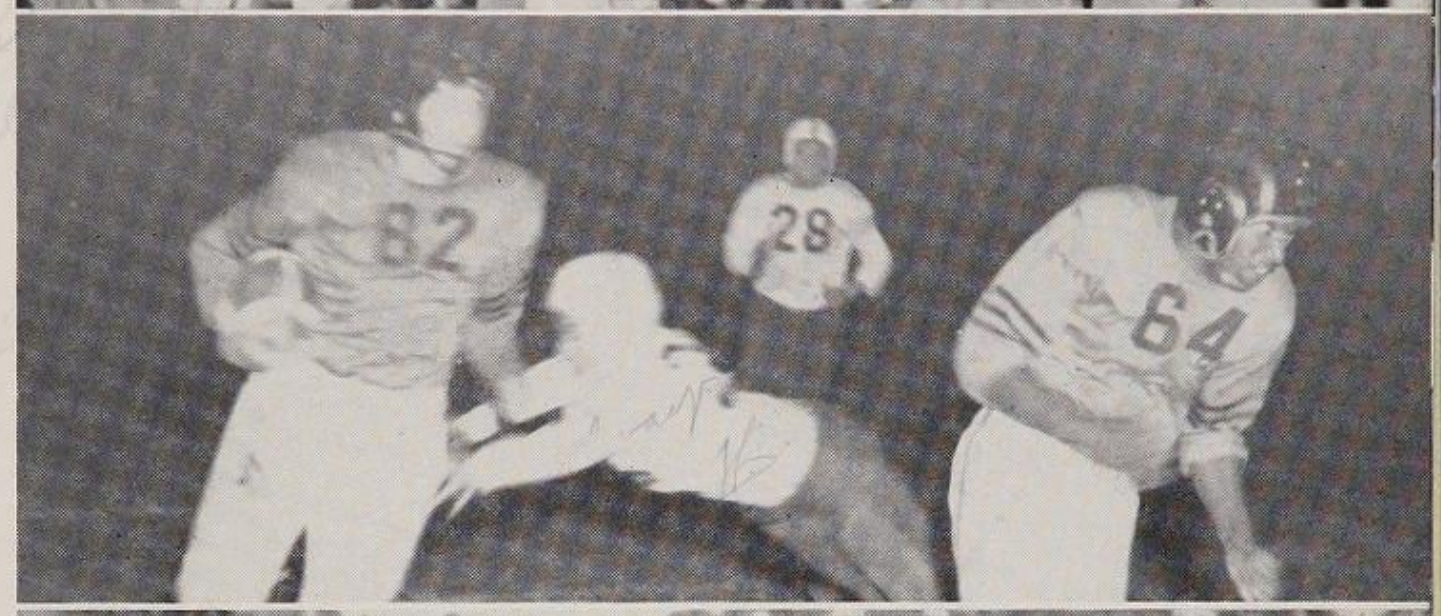
SAN MATEO	21
HAYWARD	20

SAN MATEO	37
CAPUCHINO	0

SAN MATEO	14
JEFFERSON	0

SAN MATEO 20
SAN JOSE 33

SAN MATEO 21
SOUTH
SAN FRANCISCO .. 13



SAN MATEO 26
MENLO-ATHERTON 6

SAN MATEO 7
PALO ALTO 7

SAN MATEO 21
BURLINGAME 26

VARSITY

HEAD COACH FRANK COLLIN

ROY GUSTAFSON

LAPOLEAN McLEMORE

TOM GUIDRY

RALPH WENSINGER

JIM GILKEY

BOB RODRIGUES

BILL ODOM

DICK JUSTON

JACK ROWAN

DAN DOUGLAS

DICK HUNT

STAN HOMPST

FOOTBALL

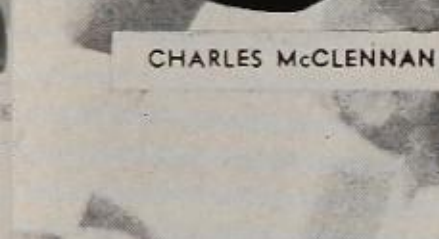
LINE COACH FRANK McGRAW

CHARLES LAX

CHARLES McCLENNAN

DICK RAUTMAN

ELMER YAMADA



WALT SIMS

TOM BARRIE

JIM HENSEL

BOB WILKINSON

ROLAND FUJITO

ASSISTANT COACH LARRY CULVER

ANGELO AGUIAR

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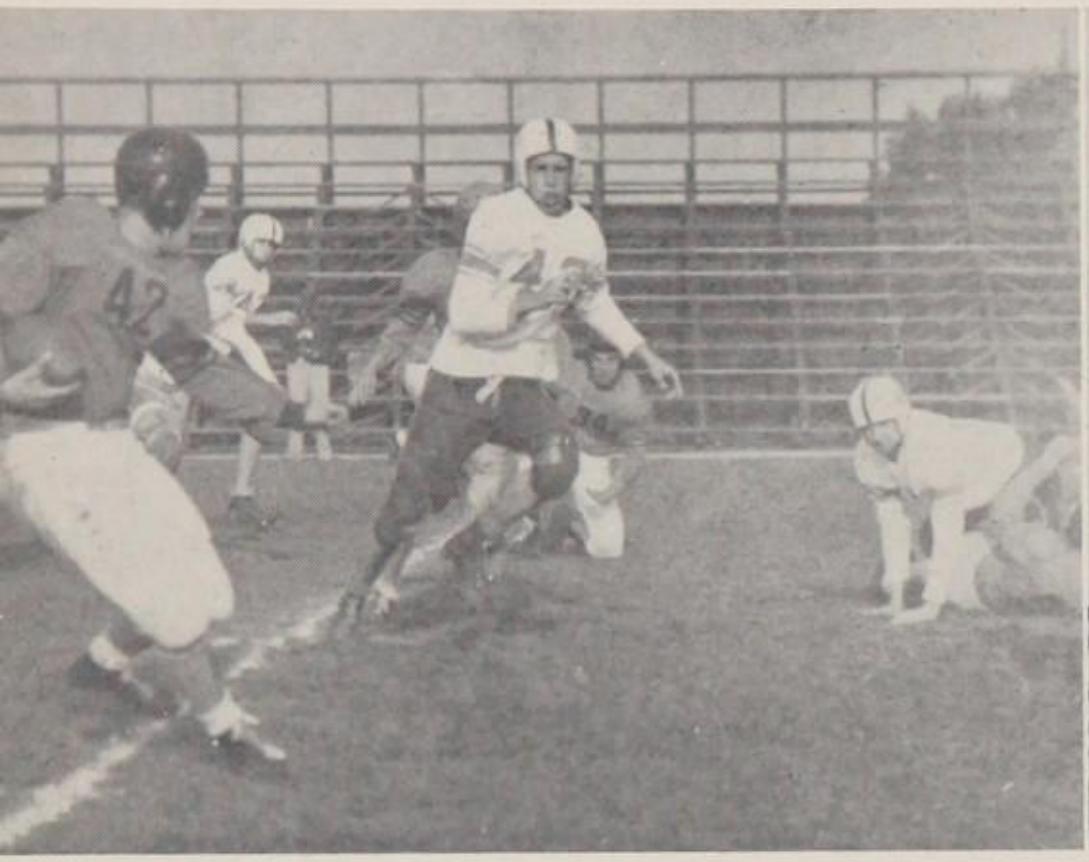
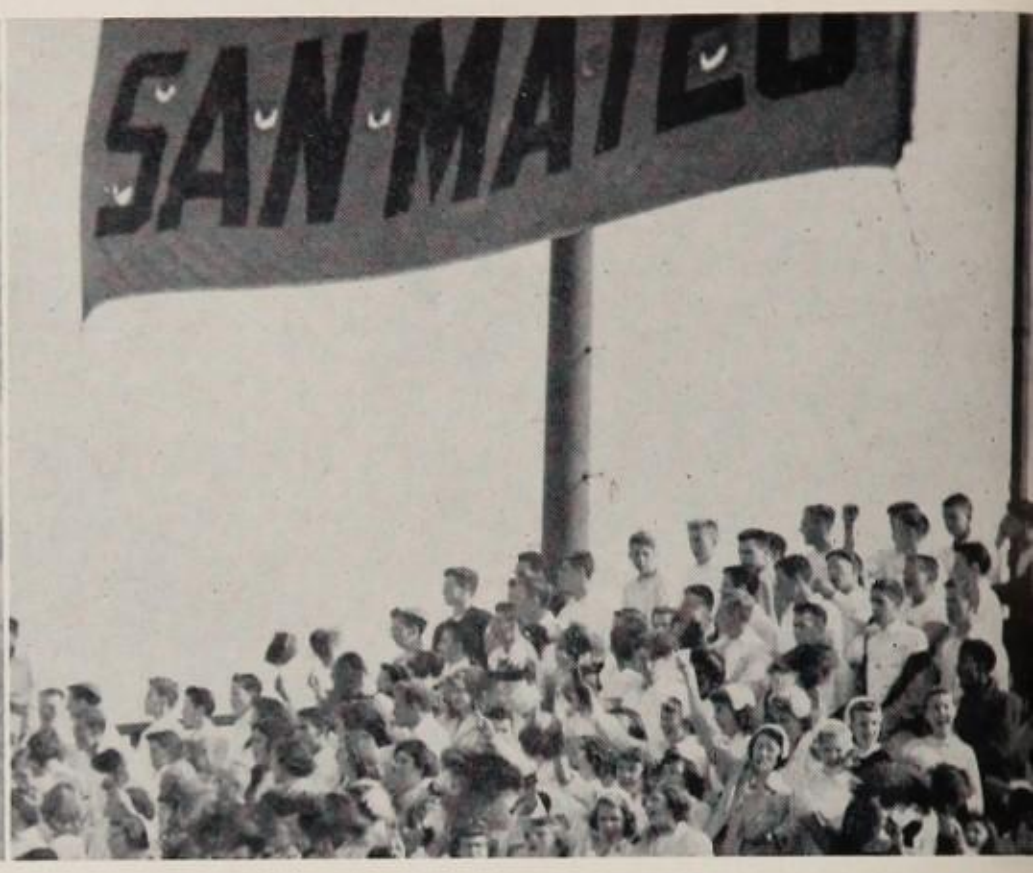
JIM WHITAKER

Head Coach
FRANK ROBINSON

FROSH-SOPH





The Frank Robinson coached Frosh-Soph gridders climaxed the season winning four and dropping four. This seems a far cry from last year's undefeated PAL champions, but in reality this year's squad came very close to last year's team. Three of the four losses could have gone either way, as two were by a single point while the other was by two points.

In the first game of the season the Bearkittens greeted the PAL's newest arrival, Carlmont, with a 20-2 shellacking. Always a potent factor in the race, Sequoia measured the Robinson men in their second PAL game 13-12 on the Cherokee turf. South San Francisco fell to the Frosh-Sophers one week later 15-0 on the losers' field. The strongest team which the Mateans faced all season, if comparative scores mean anything, was their next opponent, Menlo Atherton. The Bears completely monopolized the contest winning 14-0. The Bearcats summoned their scoring punch against Jefferson with a crushing 31-6 victory. Capuchino came back strongly in the final stanza to nudge the home gridmen 20-18. This set the stage for the Bearcats' stunning upset of previously undefeated Palo Alto, the current league leaders. The Mateans toppled the Vikings 20-19. As a forecast of the varsity Little-Big game the Bearcats lost a closie to the Panthers 20-19.

Strong-armed quarterback Bucky Kahler led the attack from his quarterback position. He was flanked by Kent Ikeda and Jerry Meyers at the halves with Robert Ja at the fullback spot.

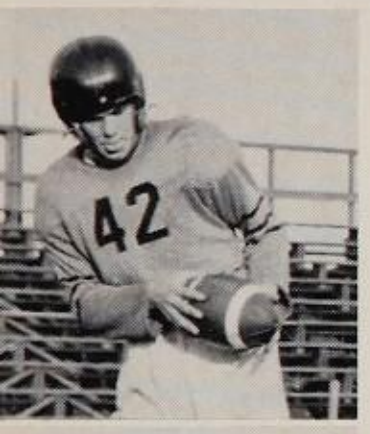
The offensive line which was continually springing Meyers loose on quick openers, found Ray Wagner and Jerry Herman, Kahler's favorite targets at the ends. Chuck Draney and Paul Ridgeway operated at tackles with Oliver Semba and Wayne Fujito starting at guards. Pat Nolan opened at the pivot post for the Bearcats.

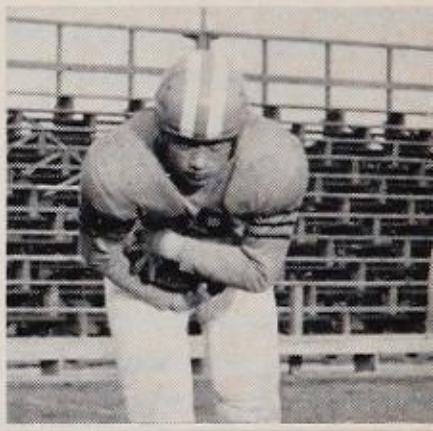
The Frosh-Soph earned the respect of the league members as a potential to be feared. This potential was realized in their stunning reversal against Paly.

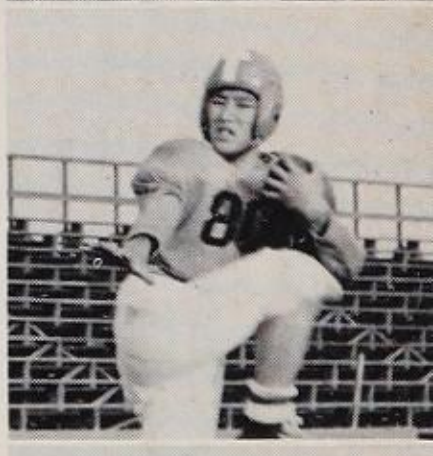
FOOTBALL

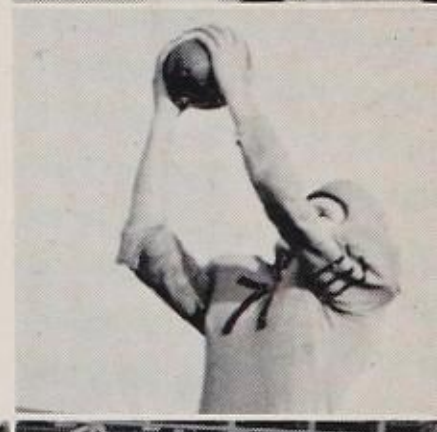
Assistant Coach
BILL LARSON

FIRST ROW, left to right: Coach Frank Robinson, Sidney Garrett, Alan Bergstedt, Alden Long, Wayne Fujito, Don Roach, Buckey Kahler, Jerry Meyer, Frank Manna, Ray Wagner, Chester Brewer, Howard Hayes, Coach Bill Larson. SECOND ROW: James Kerr, Richard Messick, Bob Clancy, Winston Downer, James Chow, Bill Manolis, Robert Ja, Kent Ikeda, Paul Ridgeway, George Crawford, Pat Nolan, Mike Miller, Mgr. Warren Carmichel. THIRD ROW: Jan Schultz, Garry Whitten, Jack Tany, Gary Harmon, Warren Hamilton, Richard Dunbar, Bill Hardy, Edwin Cheung, Gino Della Libera, Bill Stachel, Chuck Draney, Oliver Semba. FOURTH ROW: Bob Creeks, Robert King, Ed Wertzel, Russ Hagenah, Buddy Hamilton, Dave Creighton, Tony Demiz, Patrick Curley, Jim Hughes, Mars Laisne, Mel Whiteside, Richard Czapkay, Jerry Herman, Mgr. David Maas.









FROSH-SOPH SCORES

SAN MATEO	20	SAN MATEO	31
CARLMONT	2	JEFFERSON	6
SAN MATEO	12	SAN MATEO	18
SEQUOIA	13	CAPUCHINO	20
SAN MATEO	15	SAN MATEO	20
SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO	0	PALO ALTO	19
SAN MATEO	0	SAN MATEO	19
MENLO-ATHERTON	14	BURLINGAME	20

CHEERLEADERS

Left to right:
Al Nichols
Caral Hagenah
K. Lee Manuel

Left to right:
Carol Ottley
Sally Tadson
Linda Player
Helen True
Diane Disney

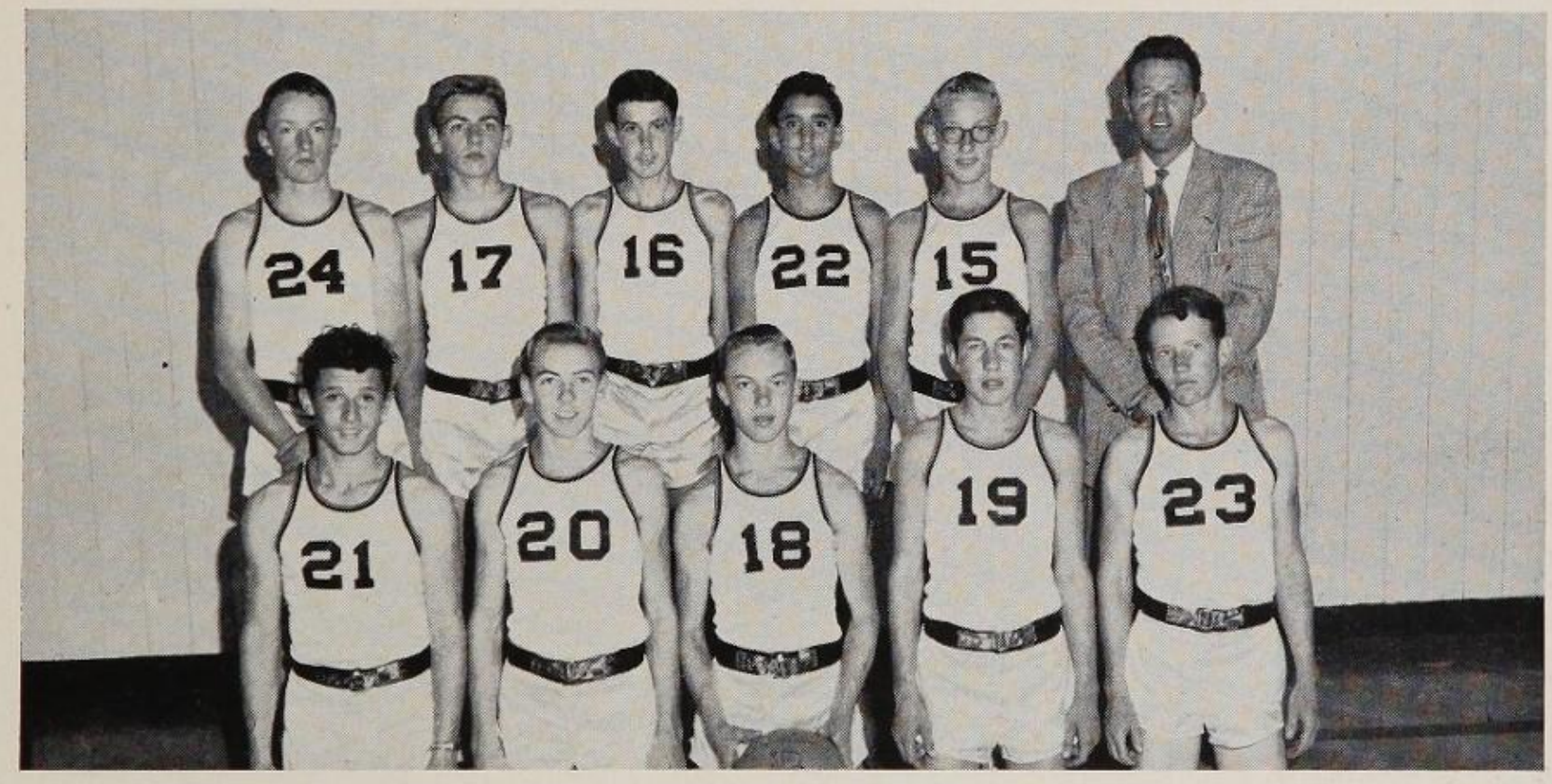
Head Cheerleader
Gayle Burnstein

Top, left to right:
Jimmae Bowen
Suzie Zingler
Marilyn Dunn
Bottom:
Gayle Burnstein

FIRST ROW, left to right: Anderson, Dong, Goodrich, Cooney, Kirkpatrick. SECOND ROW: Tatsukana, Binsacca, Goodrich, McGuire (Coach).

120's BASKETBALL

The San Mateo Tens, under the expert tutelage of Ben McGuire, won four and dropped six in PAL play and had an overall season record of 4 and 14. Verne Goodrich amassed 114 points to lead both lightweight teams in scoring. The remainder of the starting lineup was Vic Binsacca, forward; Alan Kamror, center; Byron Chan, guard; and Jimmy Tatsukawa, guard. The tens won four and dropped six to finish fourth in the league.



FIRST ROW, left to right: Costa, Simmons, King, Pellizzer, Brooks. SECOND ROW: Hamilton, Linck, Reavis, Cohen, Mauser, McGuire (Coach).

110's BASKETBALL

The Twenties won ten straight northern division games for the league championship. They dropped two straight encounters to Willow Glen, southern champs in the division playoffs. Freshman J. D. Costa and playmaker Corky King paced the squad in the scoring column with Jack Cohen a close third. Ronnie Simmons and Dave Reavis were the defensive and rebounding specialists. The Twenties had a season's total of 12 wins against six defeats.

VARSITY AND

MR. ED. BURDA,
VARSITY COACH

RON BERRIDGE, GUARD,
FIRST STRING

ELMER YAMADO, GUARD,
FIRST STRING

ROGER SMITH, FORWARD,
ALL PAL

LARRY HUNT, CENTER,
SECOND STRING

RICK AMES, CENTER,
FIRST STRING

CKY KAHLER, FORWARD,
FIRST STRING

JIM CAVIN, CENTER,
THIRD STRING

DAVE HAMILTON, CENTER,
SECOND STRING

BOB HILL, FORWARD,
SECOND STRING

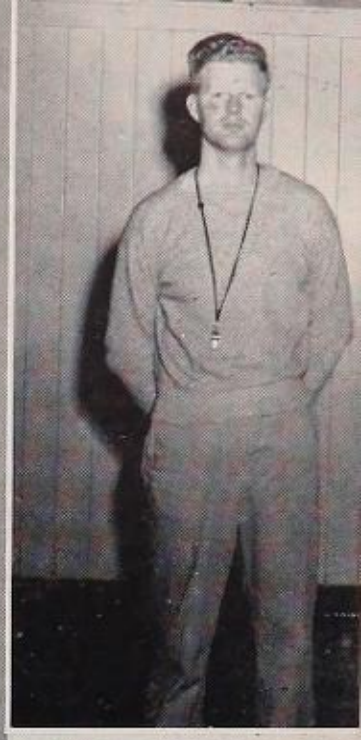
DAVE CREIGHTON, GUARD,
SECOND STRING

GINO DELLA LIBRA, GUARD,
SECOND STRING

ALBERT TAKAHASHI,
MANAGER

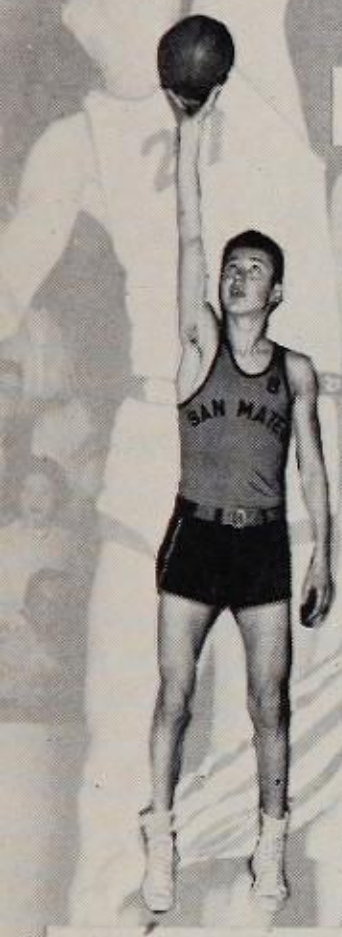
WINSTON DOWNER, FORWARD,
SECOND STRING

30's BASKETBALL



MR. BLAINE LEMMON,
30's COACH

DICK SCHUMACHER, FORWARD,
ALL PAL



DICK UHLAND, GUARD,
SECOND STRING

EDDIE IKEDA, GUARD,
FIRST STRING

BOB STEWART, GUARD,
FIRST STRING

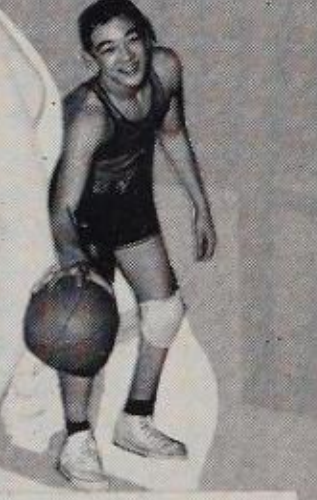
JACK FINNEY, CENTER,
FIRST STRING

BUD HAMILTON, FORWARD,
SECOND STRING

BOB FRESCHI, FORWARD,
SECOND STRING

ROY SINSLEY, GUARD,
SECOND STRING

ROY ALIAMOS, FORWARD,
FIRST STRING



TY TEKAWA, FORWARD,
FIRST STRING

KENT IKEDA, GUARD,

VARSITY AND THIRTIES BASKETBALL

The San Mateo varsity basketballers, led by coach Ed Burda, started the 1952-53 season with a calamity loss to the Stanford frosh, pulled themselves together for a mighty drive to second in the PAL, and then lost twice to archrival Burlingame, to cross the finish line in third place, boasting a 6-4 record.

The Blaine Lemmon-coached thirties likewise ended up in third place, after a series of upsets and a one-time tie for first place in the PAL.

Picking their toughest competition of the season in the first game, the Mateans received a shellacking at the hands of the Stanford frosh, 81-17. The bleak season's outlook suggested by this rout was slightly brightened, however, as the Bearcats came back to wallop Galileo, 40-21. But the Mateans soon plummeted downward again, taking a licking from Saint Ignatius and Lowell, and dropping a thriller to Serra.

The Serra contest was keen-spirited all the way, as the Bearcats struggled to stop six-foot six-inch Padre center, Jack Allain. The score was tied up 5 times in the final quarter, and finally at 34-all. Here the Mateans fell victim to the new "two-for one" foul shot rule, and the fast moving Padres took adavantage of last minute Bearcat fouls to ice the game at 38-34.

The Bearcats rolled over South City in the PAL opener, only to be dumped by mighty Jefferson. The chips were down in the first clash with the Indians, for both squads were unbeaten. The Mateans played a brilliant game for the first half, nailing down a 23-22 lead. In the third canto, however, the Bearcat defense snapped, and the Indians poured in 28 points, setting up a margin which the Bearcats could never close. This act of nearly whipping Jefferson later proved to be one of the greatest Bearcat accomplishments, as the Indians later placed three men on the all-PAL quint and finished the season with an unblemished 12-0 slate.

The deadly shooting of the torrid Bearcat trio of Bucky Kahler, Elmer Yamada, and all-PAL Roger Smith, then rocketed the Mateans to three straight wins. One of these, however, was a close squeak, as the Bearcat quint barely edged out Capuchino, 45-43. Leading by a convincing 8 points in the first canto, the Mateans put in their second string, whom the first string Mustangs proceeded to nip for 12 counters in the second period, knotting the half-time score at 22-all. The game was nip-and-tuck from there on in, with Yamada clinching the contest on a final second lay-in, shattering a 43-43 tie. So close was it, that just as the final buzzer sounded a Mustang let loose the bucket that would have thrown the game into overtime.

With the Bearcats riding on the crest of a one-defeat first round, meddlesome Burlingame stepped in to knock them out of the clouds with a stunning double defeat.

Entering the second round of the Northern Division league, the Bearcats fared exactly as they did in the first, clobbering South City, succumbing to powerful Jefferson, and walking over Capuchino and Half Moon Bay, until they faced Burlingame in the crucial battle for second place. Then the Panthers added insult to injury, as they mashed the Bearcats 70-37 in the varsity. The thirties also dropped another heartbreaker.

The lightweights took Jefferson in their stride in both rounds, but couldn't muster enough power to down Capuchino. They were cursed by the same Burlingame hex as the varsity, as they dropped their first encounter with the Panthers by the nerve-racking tally of 38-36. Neck-and-neck with the Blingumites all the way, the Bearcats couldn't seem to find the basket in the final minutes, and came up on the bottom side of the costliest game of the year.

Another bitter disappointment for the Bearcat thirties was their second-round loss to Half Moon Bay. There was no joy in Bearcatville that day, for sure, as the Cougars found it just as hard to miss as the Mateans found it difficult to hit. That was the off-day that made the difference between second and third place for the Bearkittens, because although Burlingame had lost two games to schools the Bearcats trounced, Half Moon Bay was the **third** setback for the Mateans, leaving them with a 5-5 slate compared to Blingum's 6-4.

All in all, the Matean quints had their ups and downs throughout the season—quite a few of them—but as they put away their jersies for another year, they deserved a pat on the back for playing a great season.

THE GOLF TEAM

FIRST ROW, left to right: Bob Clancy, Dick Babitt, Don Sisson, Jim Roberts. SECOND ROW: Jay Sapenhaur, Bob Stewart, Fred Bjork, Gary Harmen, Woody Wilmore, Coach Collin.

THE TENNIS TEAM

FIRST ROW, left to right: Bob Ja, John McKenna, Steve Nelson, Don Jackson, Henry Dong, Vic Binsacca. SECOND ROW: George Powers, Warren Gutzwiller, Milton Fung, Mike Miller, Bob Engel, Edwin Cheung. THIRD ROW: Don Rickett, Roger Smith, Dick Hansen, Bruce Tupper, Jay Marshall, Henry Lackner, Mgr. Noel Rogers, Coach F. Robinson.

VARSITY

JACK MARTINELLI
DICK KERNICK
CHUCK McLENNAN

JIM SEITH
GUY HOFFMAN
SHIG MORIKI

BILL STALEY
DICK RAUTMAN
TOM BARRIE

BASEBALL

FIRST ROW, left to right: Stuart Davis, Manager; Bill Hardy, Dick Kernick, Stan Kompst, Tom Barrie, Bill Staley, Shig Moriki. SECOND ROW: Jim Seith, Chuck McClennan, Ray Aliamus, Gino Della Libera, Gordon Lewis, Gerry Meyer, Howard Hill. THIRD ROW: Joe McCarron, Paul Meyers, Jack Martinelli, Dick Pautman, Guy Hoffman, Coach Dan Lacy.

Coach Dan Lacy's Bearcat Varsity horsehiders, hoping to pull the switch two years in succession, strove to bring home the PAL crown for the second consecutive year. They started out the practice season right, winning five out of six, losing only to Mission 3-2.

The Mateans, laden with returning veterans, ranked second on a pre-season analysis of the PAL teams. Only Jefferson stood ahead of the Bearcats. Ten vets returned to the fold, not to mention help from the Frosh and transfers. By this writing Coach Lacy had molded his team into a sound unit for the PAL campaign.

Harry Messick, pitcher and first baseman, headed the array, with Senior center fielder, Dick Kernick, back for a final fling. Catcher Jim Seith returned, and his big bat was a strong factor in the Cats' practice wins. Dick Rautmann and Bill Staley, two smooth working lettermen, also returned, with capable outfielders Chuck McClennan and Jack Martinelli to join Kernick. Tom Barrie bolstered the catching staff while Shig Moriki and Guy Hoffman did likewise for the pitching.

Bill Hardy, fleet footed Sophomore, led the group from the Frosh. The swift left fielder nailed down a starting berth in left field, while Bucky Kahler dug for a position on the starting group. Stan Kompst, another refugee from the Frosh-Soph, was quick to gain a post on the starting nine. He gained second base when Staley moved over to shortstop to fill the gap left by Bill Cox, who was declared ineligible. Pitcher Joe McCarron and versatile Gino Della Libera joined the varsity ranks this year for the first time. Another first year man is Harrington, a transfer who has proved his worth both on the mound and at bat.

Practice victories for the Mateans were over Lowell and Balboa twice, while they split with Mission. This year's Bearcats were set to give anyone a run for their money.

FROSH-SOPH BASEBALL

MR. HAROLD FEARON
Coach

FIRST ROW, left to right: Reginal Christman, Bill Bertron, Ray Kumli, Dick Bortolin, Dick Dumke, Garry Moscato. SECOND ROW: Bob Hamerdly, Mgr.; Ed Meitzel, Raymond Wagner, Eddie Eskilson, Bob Gifford, Bill Barraclough, Howard Harrington, Nathan Chan, Mgr. THIRD ROW: Mr. Fearon, Howard Engelskirchen, Bob Freschi, Jack Finney, Bruce Kemper, Bud Hamilton, Charley Draney, Bob Coruccini.

San Mateo's Frosh-Soph bat wielders prepared to embark upon the road to the PAL championship after an unblemished practice season. Three Peninsula Athletic League members had already fallen before the booming Bearcat bats in practice games. Altogether Coach Hal Fearon's aggregation had hung up seven straight at this writing.

The Bearcats, scheduled to meet Carlmont in the league opener, had that game rained out, along with the second PAL contest against Sequoia. The Mateans expected to finally get under way on the 26th of March when they met South City, whom they had previously beaten in a practice encounter. The remainder of the eight game schedule was Menlo-Atherton, Jefferson, Capuchino, Palo Alto, and the finale against Burlingame.

In the practice engagements the Bearcats took two against Capuchino, 3-0 and 13-2. They followed that with an overpowering 13-0 conquest of Burlingame. Next on the list were Jefferson, who fell 11-2, Sacred Heart, who obliged 6-1, Serra's JV's, who were ousted 11-3, and the last against South City, 13-6.

This year the backbone of the team was centered around Bruce Kemper, Ray Wagner, and Ronnie Simmons. These three boys have had a lot to do with the fine showing of the Bearcats. This year's team was well rounded with no absolute standouts, but steady players at each position. Kemper, the only returning vet at shortstop, served as the nucleus with Wagner at third, and Simmons donning the mask behind home plate. Bob Freschi, stellar second sacker, had played steady ball thus far. With these four Sophomore's as the backbone this year's team could turn the trick if the other members come through.

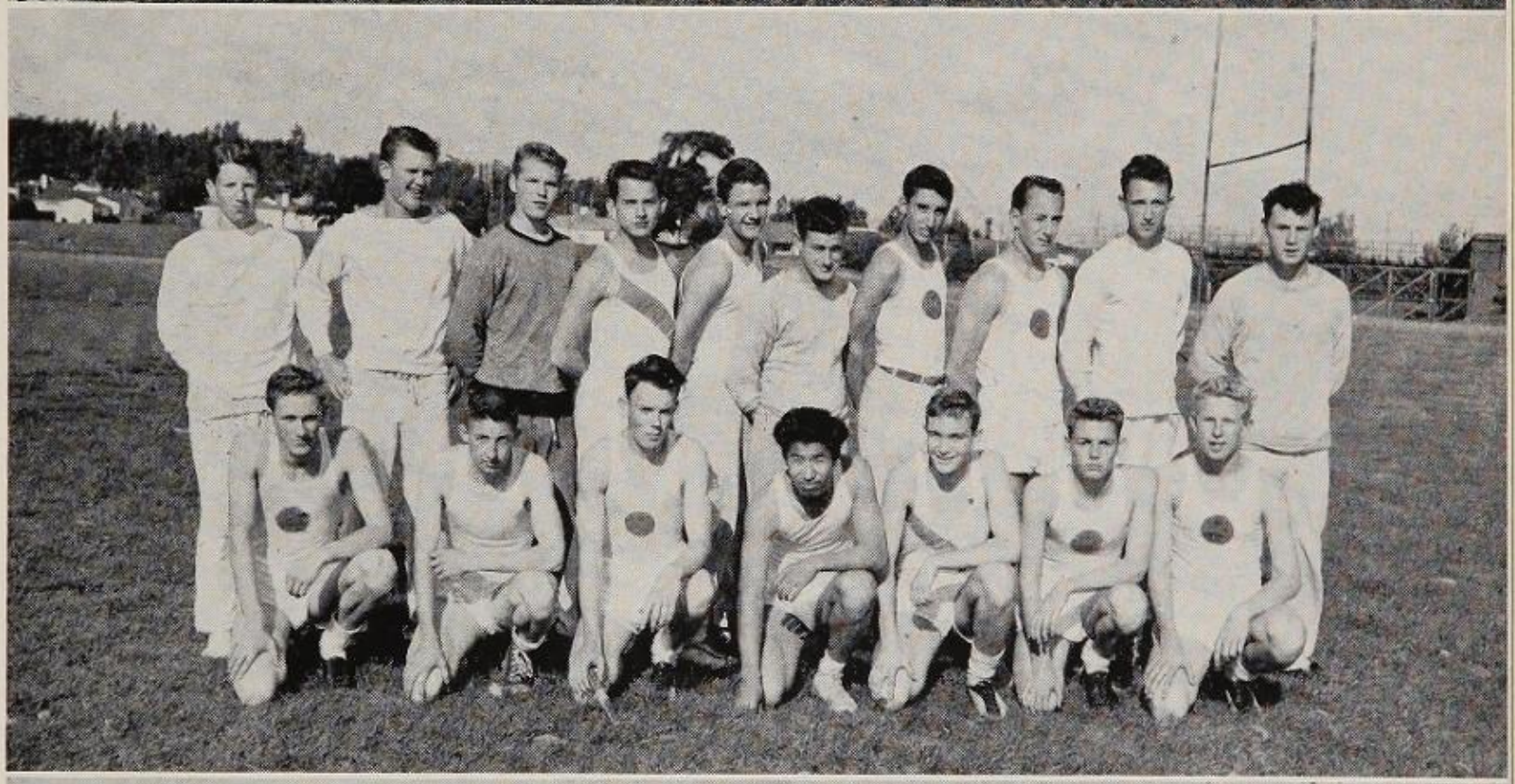
With their unblemished practice slate, big things are expected from this year's team. However, they still had the toughest leg of their journey before them, as eight games separated them from the championship.

TRACK

RAY ALLEE, Head Coach

VARSITY TRACK

FIRST ROW, left to right: Roland Fujito, Dave Hamilton, Floyd Arterburn, Larry Hunt, John Sutherlin, Bob Taylor, John Eberhart. SECOND ROW: Mgr. Mr. Culver, Mgr. Mr. Allee, Joe Hori, Tom Guidry, Al Bergstedt, Dick Huston, Roy Gustafson, Bob Hill, Bob Klicka, Warren Carmichael, Mgr. THIRD ROW: Coach Larry Culver, Eric Johanssen, Andy Andersson, Charles Henderson, Tom Sine, Norton Ziegler, Jim Hughes, Dick Lyman, Jim Nielsen, Jim Gilkey, Head Coach Ray Alle.



30's TRACK

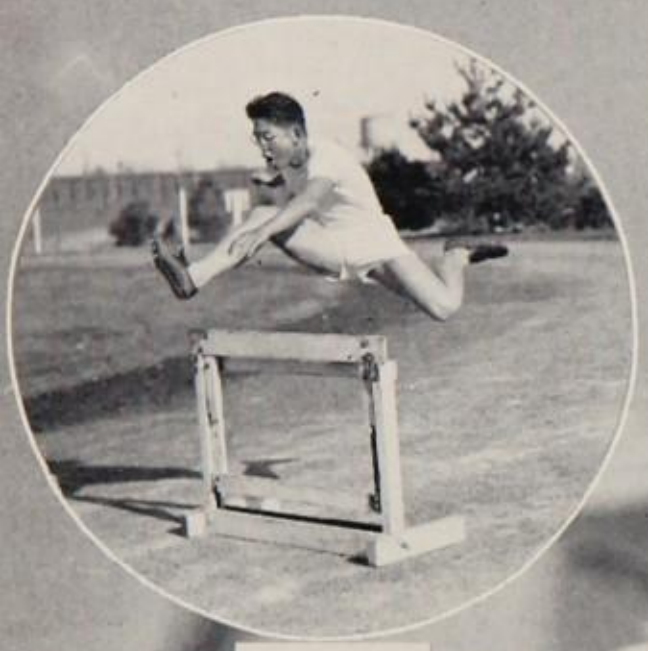
FIRST ROW, left to right: Charles Waltz, Bob Farnam, Gordon Tinker, Jim Chow, Joe Kristjanson, Don Linck, Richard Dunbar. SECOND ROW: Floyd Brooks, Kris Kristofferson, Bob Robinson, Jack Ray, Tom Wisnom, Gene Young, Jack Cohen, Frank Van Stralen, Larry Gifford, Garland Mankins.

20's TRACK

FIRST ROW, left to right: Bill Hays, Tom Bodmer, Bill Hamilton, Dick Lee, Curt Lemmon, Kent Ikeda. SECOND ROW: Don Rathbone, James Tatsukawa, John Hayes, Wayne Fujito, Mervin Blas, Pat Curley, Gary Chilton.

MR. LARY CULVER,
Assistant Coach

KRIS KRISTOFFERSON



DICK LEE

TOM GUIDRY

FLOYD ARTEBURN

GORDON TINKER

INTRAMURALS WINNERS
DICK LEE, 20s; FLOYD ARTEBURN, VARSITY;
GORDON TINKER, 30s

ANDY ANDERSSON

TRACK

Once again fielding an outstanding team, the Bearcat tracksters had captured their opening league meet 79½-51-5½ against Lincoln and Capuchino. In the thirties the Mateans also reigned superior with 68 points. Capuchino was second with 52½ while Lincoln got 15½.

The tracksters started the season right by capturing the PAL relays at Jeff, which was the fifth straight Bearcat win in this league forerunner. Floyd Arterburn, in this event, turned in a tremendous 22 flat in the final 220 yards of the Varsity halfmile to nip Hank Loumena, the Burlingame ace, whom he had trailed by seven yards at the pass of the baton.

Floyd Arterburn, the flying Junior spikeman, ran his first year of Varsity competition. The speedster was the backbone of this year's team. He was expected to bust the PAL wide open in his 440-yard specialty. Coupled with Tom Guidry in the two other sprints they provide a tough combo to beat. Arterburn, still with the big year left, promises to rank high in the bests of San Mateo.

Andy Andersson, a familiar picture now at San Mateo, was expected to clean up in the weight department. Four years he has nibbled away at the shot-put record, priming himself for his Senior year. Andersson also was the top Bearcat in the discus, which is his second specialty. Andy, going for that golden 55 feet 4½ inch mark, had reached 53 feet 10 inches at this writing; he had thrown 55 feet 2 inches last year.

Charlie Henderson, third Bearcat of the nucleus of this year's team, was far and above the best in the two hurdles events. Henderson follows closely behind Lou Bortolin, who has now graduated and last year burnt up the track with sizzling times in the hurdles.

Paced by Arterburn, who at times participated in all three sprints, the Varsity fielded a seasoned team. With Tom Guidry and John Eberhardt, in the dashes the Mateans were always a threat. Although lacking depth in the distances, Nort Zeigler and Bob Taylor were strong in the 880 and mile respectively. Lanky Charlie Henderson was a consistent winner in the hurdles, with Larry Hunt and Roland Fujito rolling up valuable points.

In the broad jump Lepolean McLemore and John Sutherlin both soared over the 20 foot mark, while Henderson and Hunt monopolized the high jump. Elmer Yamada, the great little athlete, who was a shifty halfback for the orange and black on the football field, doubled as a playmaking pointmaking guard on the court, and tripled as a pole vaulter on the track team. In the weights it was Andersson, Hori, Dan Douglas, and Al Bergstedt.

The thirties looked like the league's strongest as the season began. Dick Schumacher and Gordon Tinker were always double winners and usually triple winners, Schumacher participating in the 330, 70 yard high hurdles, and the high jump, while Tinker did likewise in the 150, shot, and 120 low hurdles. Jack Cohen, strong in the 660, and Kris Kristofferson and Dick Dunbar in the 1320 provided for the thirties in the distances. Frank Van Stralen threw the shot, with Don Linck and Floyd Brooks participating in the pole vault. Sprinter and broad jumper Chow was consistently in the points.

In the twenties it was lack of depth which hurt the Mateans. Dick Lee performed well in the sprints, hurdles and high jump, standing out in all three events. Curt Lemmon did well in the relay and high jump, with Pat Curley and Wayne Fujito in the shot-put.

With their first league win under their belt the men of Coach Ray Allee appeared to be on their way to a PAL championship in both the varsity and thirties. This year, at any rate, was one of the successful ones which the Bearcats have enjoyed for the past five years.

SWIMMING

MR. WALKER

VARSITY SWIMMING

FIRST ROW, left to right: Dave Creighton, Dick Hunt, Winston Downer, Larry Lack, Pete DeNola, Bill Carpenter. SECOND ROW: John Creighton, Harry Stonelake, Bib Neiber, Dave Gansel, Kaye Smith. THIRD ROW: Mr. Walker, Walt Hays, Jim Ralston, Bill Bird, Bob Gilchrist, Jim Nolan.

30's SWIMMING

FIRST ROW, left to right: Jim Nelson, Gary Reynolds, Mike DeWeest, Jim Kerr, Kent McCabe, Roger Siebecker, Alan Hotchkiss. SECOND ROW: All Takahashi, Bob Jensen, Ty Takawa, Ed Hoffman, David Kohnke, Keith Quest, Mike Yama. THIRD ROW: Jim Maxwell, Bob Clar, Bill Christensen, Frank Christensen, Marvyn Blas, Fred Muhleman.

With a record-breaking turnout the San Mateans served notice to the PAL that they are out to better their perennial third-place mark this year. The Bearcats were preparing to meet possibily their sternest test at press time against Sequoia.

San Mateo, which has finished third behind Paly and Sequoia for the past three years, saw a bright spot as the Vikings are notably weaker and the Cherokees slightly weaker. The Beacat battle with Sequoia could well have a bearing on the top rung of the ladder.

Paced by Harry Stonelake, who has been winning since a Frosh, this year's squad has considerable strength. Stonelake and Sophomore Winsten Downer give the Mateans a great double punch in the Varsity sprints. John Turman, who transferred last year to San Mateo as a Junior, has been cutting PAL records in his specialty, the backstroke. Two Seniors, Bill Bird and Walt Hays, give the team balance in the breast stroke. Dick

TEAMS

20's SWIMMING
FIRST ROW, lfet to right: Don Dreyfuss, David Haylock, Richard Jordan, Byron Chan, Lawrency Behrman, Ray Morgan. SECOND ROW: Albert Beck, Manager, Don Haylock, Eric Maussen, David Schramm, Jim Laumond, Art Ryan, Tom Godley.

DIVING
FIRST ROW, left to right: Byron Chan, Ray Morgan. SECOND ROW: Bill Carpenter, Fred Muhlemann.

Hunt and Bob Rodriguez, two formidable mermen returning for their final year, give the Varsity a well-rounded team.

San Mateo, as always, will be well represented by this year's mermen, who by hard work and a little luck could cop this year's toga. The Bearcats will receive keen competition from Sequoia, Paly and possibly Jefferson. Graduation of three strong Varsity men hurt the Mateans in depth, but with a turnout of 73 this year Coach Lloyd Walker should have been able to mold some new, inexperienced men into this year's unit to help furnish those extra points.

Ty Tekawa, undefeated as a Twenty last year, was the center of the Thirties' drive for the championship. Tekawa, in the sprints, with Dean Loughran, Eric Mausser, and Dave Schramm look strong in the lightweight ranks.

Bob Rodriguez, ace diver of the Varsity, holds uncontested spotlight in that event. Byron Chan and Fred Muhleman do the diving for the lightweights.

FIRST ROW, left to right: Harry Stonelake, Bob Rodriguez, Fred Bjork, Dick Huston, Dan Douglas, Leroy Ottley, Angelo Aguiar, Chuck McLennan, Dick Kernick, Bucky Kahler, Jim Roling, Charlie Henderson. SECOND ROW: Ron Berridge, Bill Kitigawa, Bob Stewart, B. Whiteside, Jim Whittaker, Woody Wilmore, Walt Sims, Ray Stall, Floyd Arterburn, Bob Robinson, Gene Young, Mervyn Dietz, Keith Quist, Andy Andersson. THIRD ROW: Hill, Carpenter, Bob Farnum, Warren Danielson, Jack Cohen, Frank Van Stolen, Paul Meyers, Corky King, P. Ridgeway, Jack Martinelli, Tom Barry, Mario Devincenzi, Bob Wilkinson, Morris Tomlinson. FOURTH ROW: Ray Gustofson, Kris Kristofferson, Stan Kompst, Gino Della Libera, Ron Devincenzi, Jim Tormey. FIFTH ROW: Ward Stollery, Harry Gilmore, Ray Ziegler, Joe McCarron, Bruce Kemper, Mike Prescott, Russ Hagenah, Bob Frishie. SIXTH ROW: Tom Edwards, Winston Kouner, Gordon Tinker, Pat Nolan, Roger Smith, Bob Engel.

BOYS' BLOCK SM

G.A.C.

FIRST ROW, left to right: Betsy Grinnell, Pat Naud, Kay Thomas, June Ikeda. SECOND ROW: Joanne Duffy, Shirley Quock, Carol Silva; Pat Meravelli, June Zaccheo, Sandra Stolling, Spring President Judy Carlson, Fall President Janet Wisnom.

GIRLS' SPORTS

As far as Girls' Sports were concerned, 1953 was certainly a year to remember, for this year marked the inauguration of the new Sixth Period Sport Program. During the fall when Jan Wisnom, Joanne Gibson, June Ikeda and Joan Ingram headed the organization; hockey, tennis, swimming and basketball were offered. Active G.A.C. members attended an assembly where they were acquainted with the new program. The G.A.C. combined with the Block SM to hold a dinner at the end of the semester. Judy Carlson, Sandy Stallings, Joanne Duffy and Kay Thomas planned an active spring semester highlighted by the G.P.A.L. dinner which was attended by girls from San Mateo and Santa Clara counties. A volleyball playday brought together girls from Burlingame, San Mateo, and Capuchino in what proved to be one of the most closely competitive events of the year. Miss Grace O'Neill served as advisor for the council.

The Block SM, under the leadership of Sandy Stallings and Judy Carlson, started off the fall semester by holding a joint bowling party with the G.A.C. The group also attended a dramatic production in San Francisco. Plans for a sports night for members of the block societies of other P.A.I. schools were started in the fall, the event going into the final planning stage during the spring semester when June Ikeda and Jeanne Zaccheo led the group. An initiation dinner highlighted both semesters. Mrs. Shirley Kreuger acted as advisor for the society.

GIRLS' BLOCK S.M.

FIRST ROW, left to right: Kay Thomas, Jean Zaccheo, June Ikeda, Caroline Silva, Pat Miravelli. SECOND ROW: Venita Boetger, Joanne Duffy, Sandra Stallings, Judy Carlson, Pat Naud.

FIRST ROW, left to right: Pat Miravelli, Carolyn Silva, Jeanne Zaccheo. SECOND ROW: Joan Reisenberg, Monica Kvarme, Jane Fry, Pat Naud, Marcia Mitchell. THIRD ROW: Coyla Burnett, Helen Henon, Louise Knoll, Evelyn Tanjautco, Ellen Mitchell, Ginny Freeman.

HOCKEY

A very successful hockey season was coached by Mrs. Hassett and managed by Caroline Silva. The teams were captained by Pat Naud and Carol Mills. Pat's team captured the hockey title in the final game. The two teams journeyed to Burlingame where they won one and tied one, climaxing the season.

SWIMMING

The 1953 swimming teams practiced during both the fall and spring semesters. The three fall teams were captained by Carol Hagenaugh, Jane Heberling, and Judy Carlson. These teams competed against each other in a number of intermural meets. Kay Thomas was manager for the fall session, while Miss O'Neill coached.

Both rhythmic and competitive swimming were characteristic of the spring swimming program. Betsy Grinnell took her place as manager and assisted Mrs. Hassett who did the coaching.

FIRST ROW, left to right: Virginia Cunningham, Nancy Caldwell, Arlene Chickazola, Betsy Grinnen, Jane Heberling, Nan Compeau, Barbara Platt, Margaret Langsdorf, Linda Shapro, Diane Marquis. SECOND ROW: Janet Baird, Venieta Boetger, Carol Hagenough, Kay Thomas, Janet Cordes, Martha Poage, Gail Boden, Sandra Hoag, Carol Grothe, Benita Haldertson. THIRD ROW: Diane Harlow, Joanne Duffy, Judy Carlson, Dayna Degan, Doreen Varenzoff, Ann Ratto, Judy Angier, Linda Numaugh, Barbara McInnis, Barbara Holstead. FOURTH ROW: Maxine Pomerot, Jeanne Parsons, Lily Greve, Konda Mussman, Jane Minehan, Barbara Rousta, Francis Weston, Ginny Freeman, Gail Johnson, Joanne Schwartz. FIFTH ROW: Sally Edwards, Sue Dalton, Sue Stafford, Dixie Marcus, Barrie Blair, Carla Garrison, Mary Ellen O'Keefe, Ann Bercaw, Jane Fry, Marjorie Eastman.

FIRST ROW, left to right: Jane Minehan, Sue Stafford, Nan Compeau, Jane Heberling, Betsy Grinnell, Chickie Hamilton, Pat Naud, Joan Forst, Arlene Chichizola, Ruth Lewis. SECOND ROW: Marian Suyemasa, Shirley Quock, Ebeth Morse, Marcia Healy, Louise Louis, Mary Chow, Betsy Sunblad, Janet Cordes, Ellen Mitchell. THIRD ROW: June Ikeda, Linda Shapiro, Margaret Langsdorf, Fujko Sano, Evelyn Tanjuatco, Kay Thomas, Joanne Schwartz, Ginny Freeman, Janet Bair, Virginia Cunningham. FOURTH ROW: Barbara Roveta, Konda Mussman, Reva Wilson, Sandy Stallings, Martha Poage, Lily Grave, Ann Bercaw, Doreen Varenzoff, Joan Reisenberg, Diane Marquis. FIFTH ROW: Carla Garrison, Barrie Blair, Dixie Marcus, Mary Ann Clinton, Joan Ellen Yates, Maureen Coburn, Norma Powers, Donna Wilcox, Sally Edwards.

TENNIS

Ever-popular tennis attracted almost eighty girls last fall. Two sessions were organized, the first being managed by Chickie Hamilton and the second by Pat Naud. Mrs. Kreuger served as the coach for both sessions. Because of the limited time and facilities and the large participation, final matches were not completed before the season came to a close.

BASKETBALL

Two sessions of basketball were held during the fall semester. Those participating in the first session selected Betsy Sunblad, Margie Eastman, Jane Minnehan and Mary Chow as their captains. Betsy's team was awarded the traditional numerals after capturing the first place spot.

Captains for the second session were Martha Poage, Sandy Stallings, Lily Greve and Janet Cordes. Janet's team took the championship; Lily's team ran a close second. These two teams participated in a playday at Burlingame. Basketball managers were Pat Miravelle and Shirley Quock, Coaches were Miss O'Neill and Mrs. Hassett.

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VOLLEYBALL

The volleyball season was most successful this year. Teams were organized according to classes: senior, junior, sophomore and freshman. Team captains were Louise Knoll, Marsha Mitchell, Linda Mumaugh, Chickie Hamilton, Francis Weston, Lucy Ikeda, Betsy Grinnell, Margie Eastman, Ann Bercaw, Nan Compeau, Ellen Mitchell and Monica Kvarme. Keen competition eliminated nine teams in tournament play. The championship teams led by Louise Knoll, Chickie Hamilton and Margie Eastman, participated in the volleyball playday held in March. June Ikeda was manager; Miss O'Neill, Mrs. Hassett and Mrs. Krueger coached the teams.

SOFTBALL

According to Jeanne Zaccheo, the manager for the 1953 teams, the softball season fulfilled all hopes and expectations by being one of the most successful in recent years. Again this year as last year, two sessions were sponsored in order to accommodate all those who were interested in participating. Softball teams were coached by Mrs. Krueger.

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SPEEDBALL

It has been a long time since speedball has been offered to those participting in the girls' sports program. Even though there were many who had never had a chance to participate in this sport before, the season proved to be a very successful one. The teams were coached by Mrs. Krueger.

BADMINTON

Badminton was back by popular demand! However, only the seniors were lucky enough to be able to take part in the badminton program this year. Two sessions, one of which was co-ed badminton, were held during the spring semester. Miss O'Neill coached the group and Jan Wisnom acted as manager.

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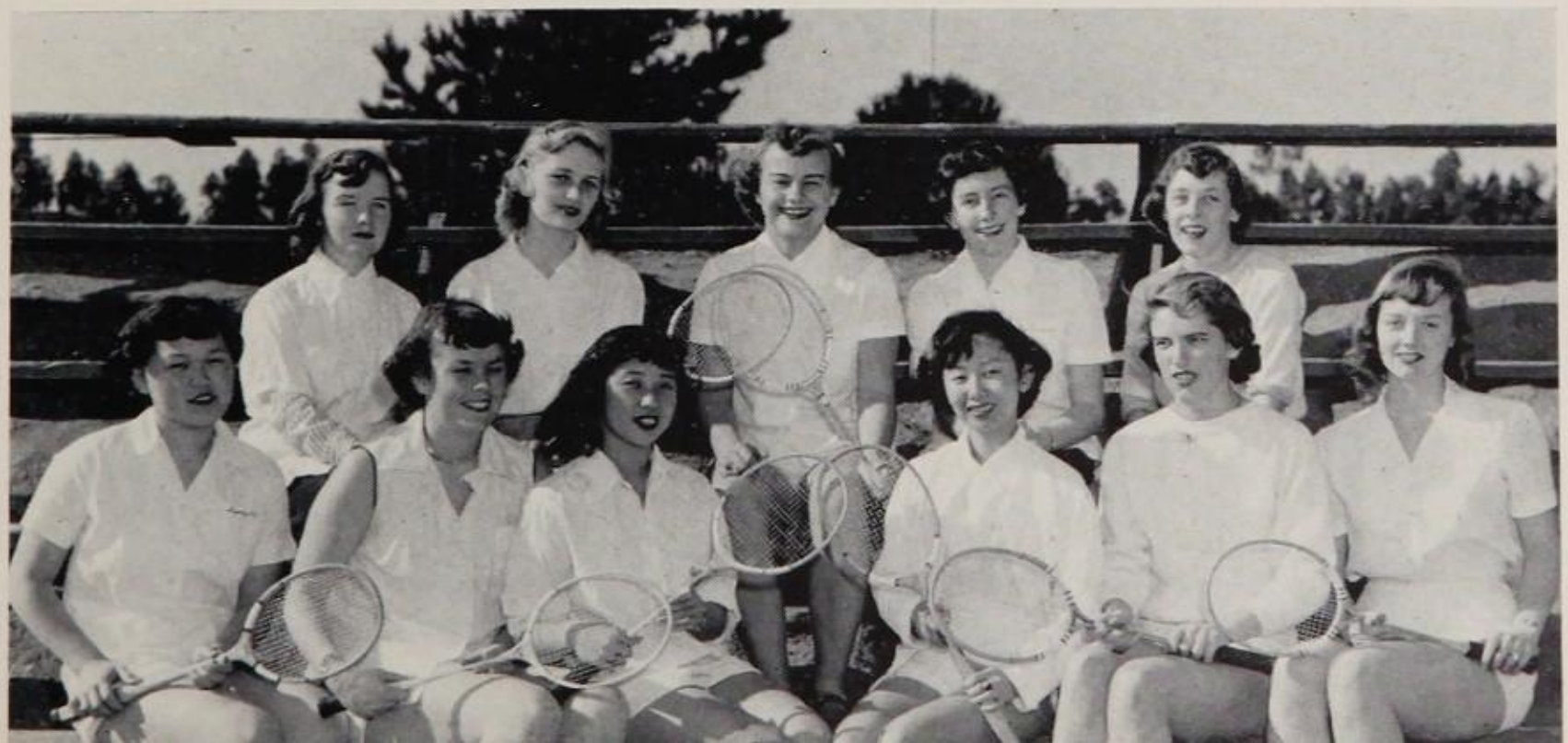

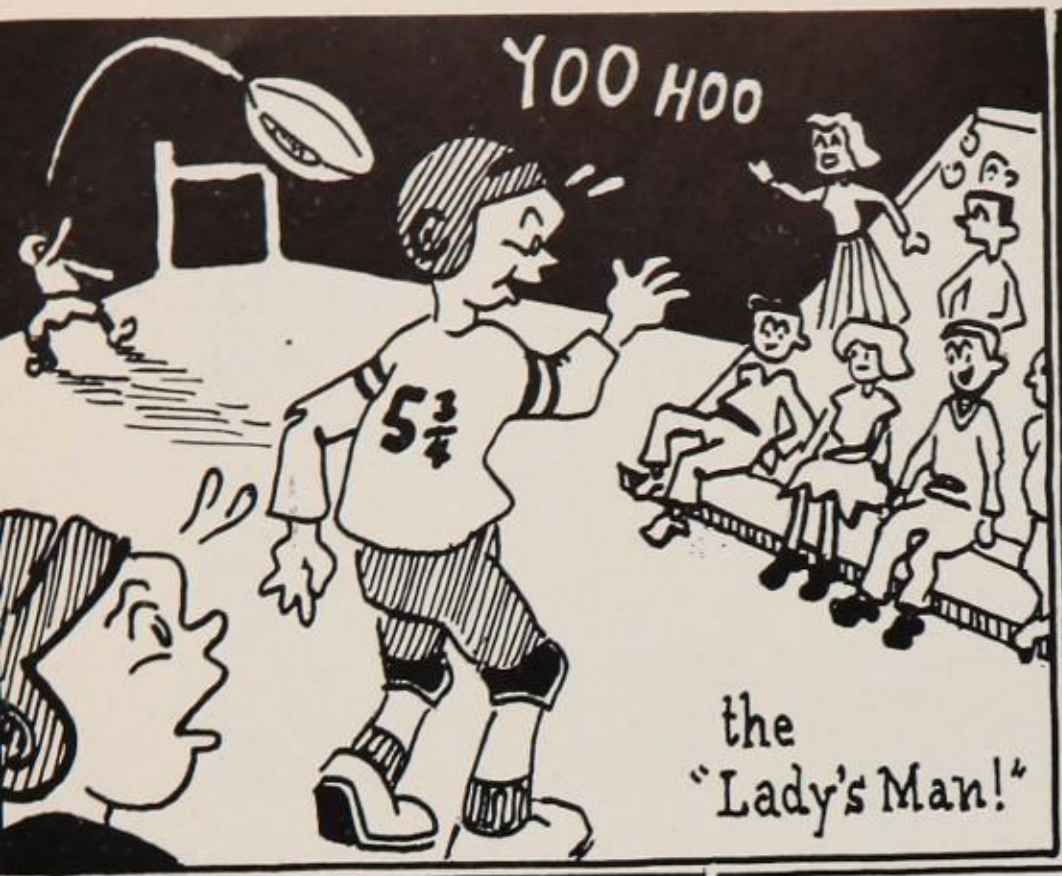
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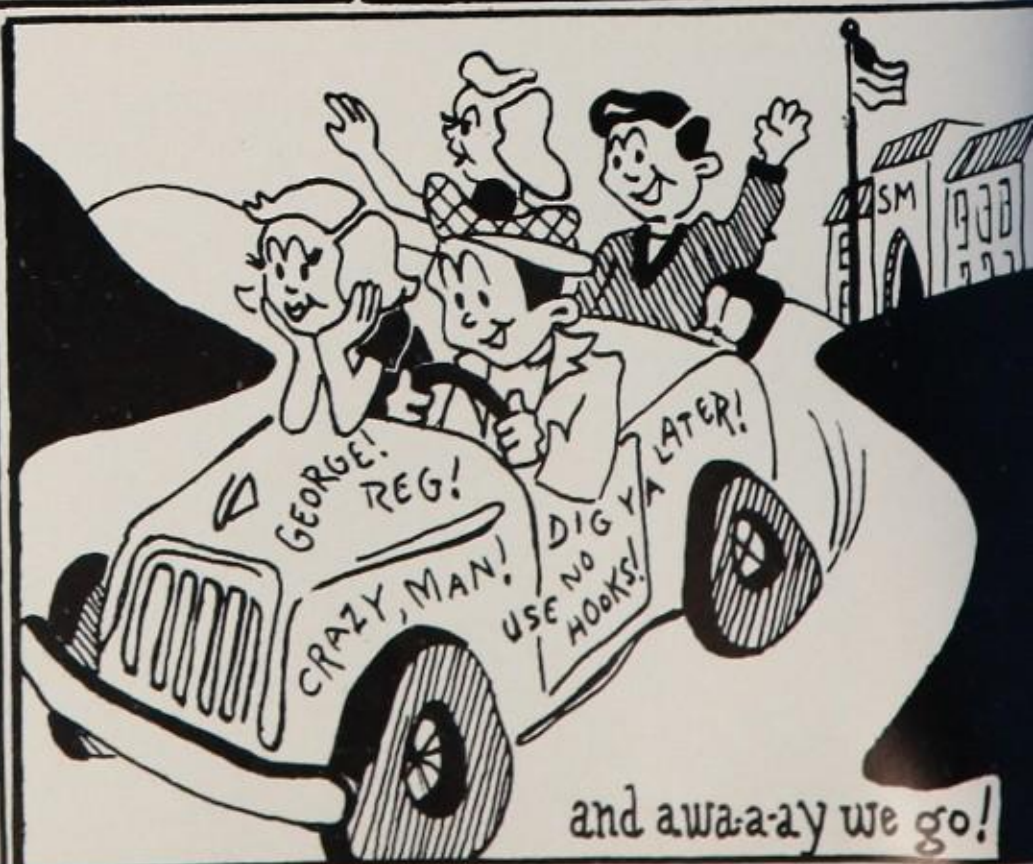
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REG!
CRAZY, MAN!
DIG YA LATER!
USE NO HOOKS!
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and awa-a-ay we go!

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Just a little note
to tell a sweet kid
something I feel about
her Best of Luck in
your Senior year
yours truly
Dusty Lou Hagenah
Dusty
next year
Rauchette
Hi

Jackie, It's been fun having
you in Chem II and also
getting to know you. You
have a marvelous
personality. See
you next year.
Love & Remember
Dolores Rauchert
'54

Jackie Hurry to your
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I cannot tell you how
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you've been a
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Lots of luck in your senior year.
Gordon Campbell

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Early in the Spring of 1952, a group of members of the Block S.M., feeling that the block society had become too large, inactive, and that the block award no longer meant superior sportsmanship and athletic ability, got together with Mr. Frank MacGraw to try to remedy the situation. The result? The founding of the Knights. This organization is made of members of the Block S.M. who are Juniors or Seniors; its purpose is to increase the number of boys out for sports, raise school spirit, and give service to the school.

Membership is gained by earning a set number of points, by helping at after-school games, by working for the Block S.M. at its various activities, by working on the order committee at football games, and by doing other similar services for the school. When a student has earned the necessary points, he must be voted into the Knights by the members. No more than 25 people may belong to the club at any time.

Ruling this organization is a council of five. This year the council is led by Chuck McLennan, President, and includes Ty Tekawa, Jim Roling, Dan Douglas, and Tom Guidry. Good luck to this newly founded, school spirited organization.

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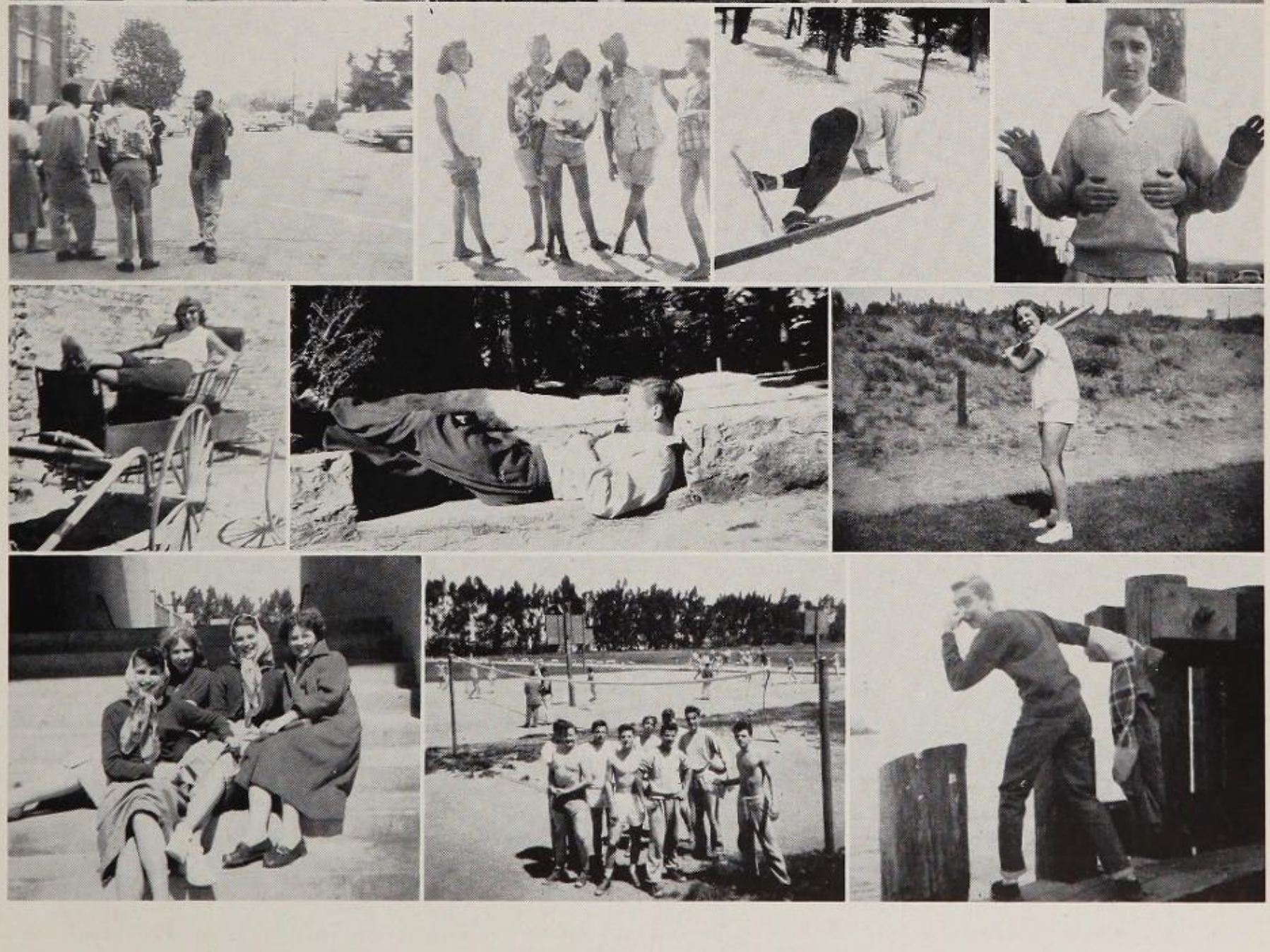
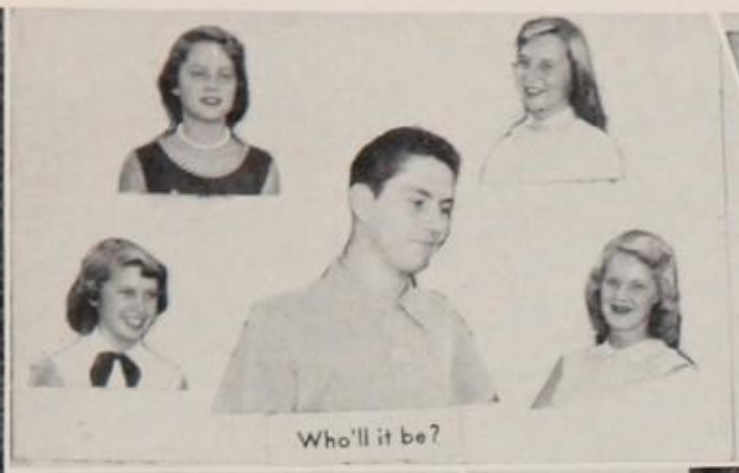
COME TO THE BALL



"WALKING MY BABY BACK HOME"


Who'll it be?

Would you like to . . . . .

NOT
A THING
TO WEAR.

But Dad . . . we can't walk!

Just . . . . . .

. . . . . one more minute

Here already?!!

The Date!!!

I think I'm ready now?

Johnny "Bearcat's Date

"Walking My Baby Back Home"

Food!!

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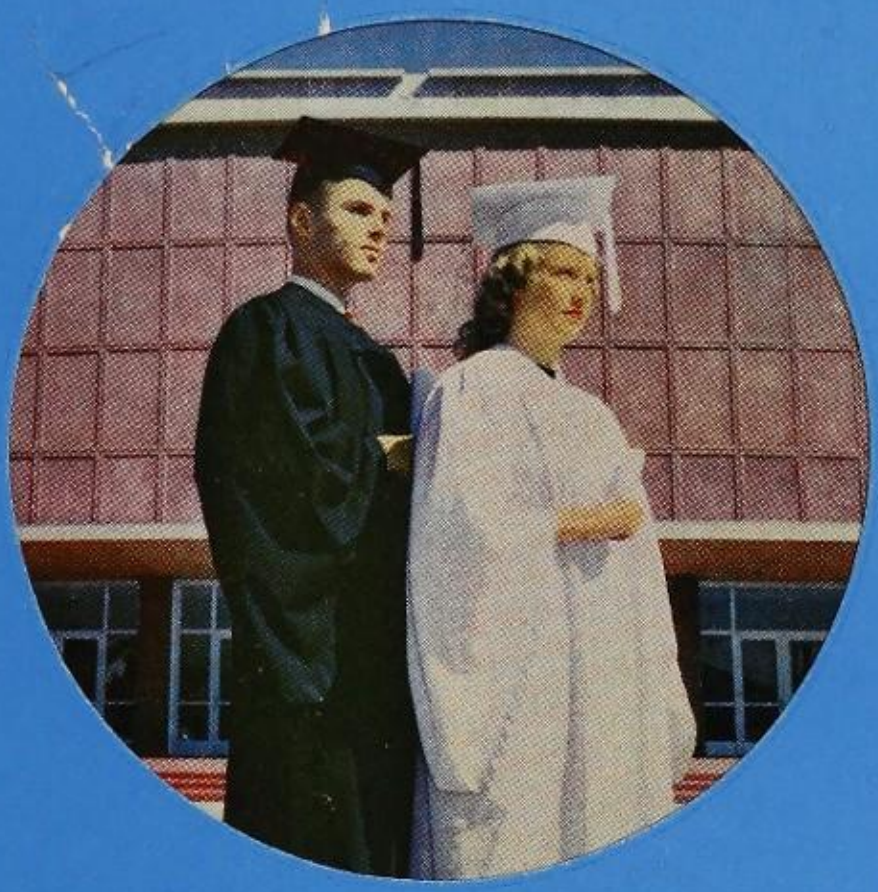
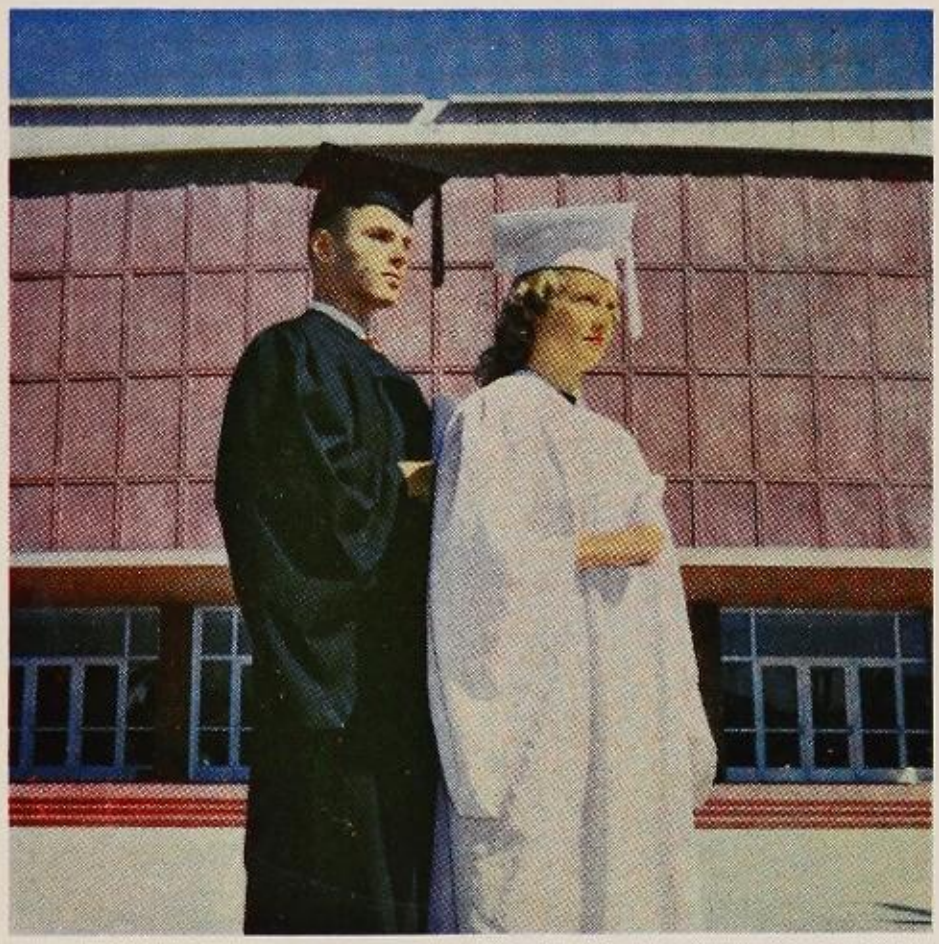
Good night?

Sweet memories

Dear Jackie
It has been terrific the 4 years. I hope you have a senior year packed full of fun
Barbara Morton

SENIORS





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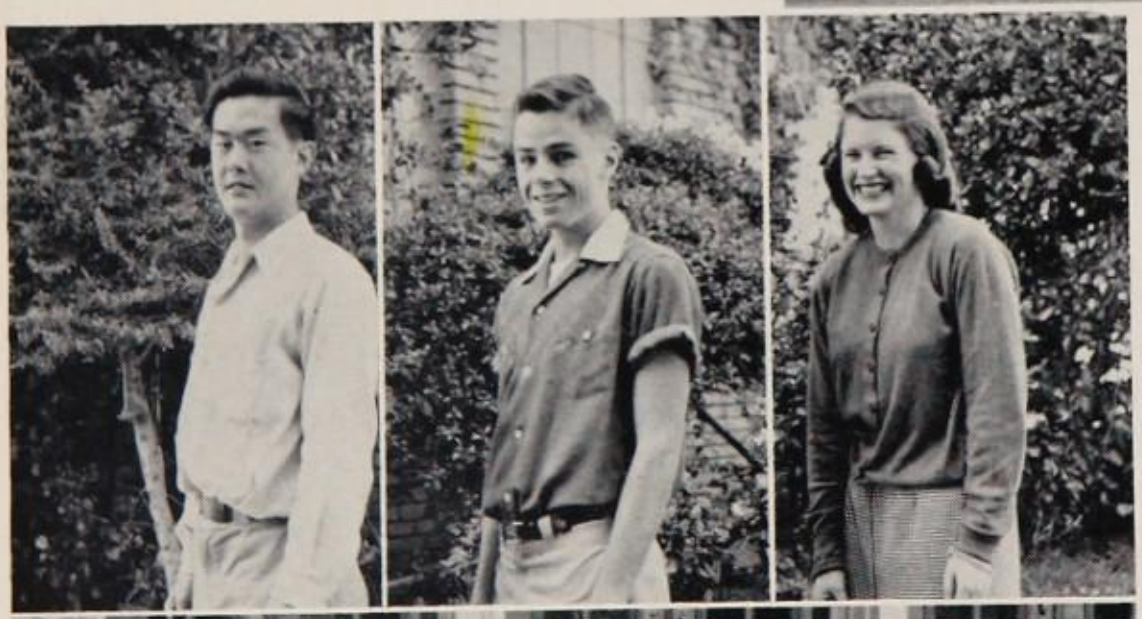

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OF 1953

ADKINS, JOAN ARLENE—A good housewife. "Here comes the bride."

AGUIAR, ANGELO—1. Ex Board, 2. Football, 3. Senior Council—"The very flower of youth."

ALPEN, JEANNETTE ALICE—1. A.G.S. Representative, 2. Tri-Y, 3. Ex Board, 4. Gay Philosopher—"She looks before she steps and steps before she goes."

AMES, RICHARD P.—1. Basketball, 2. Ex Board, 3. Hi-Y, 4. Attend Colorado on a scholarship—"The philosopher of the class of 1953."

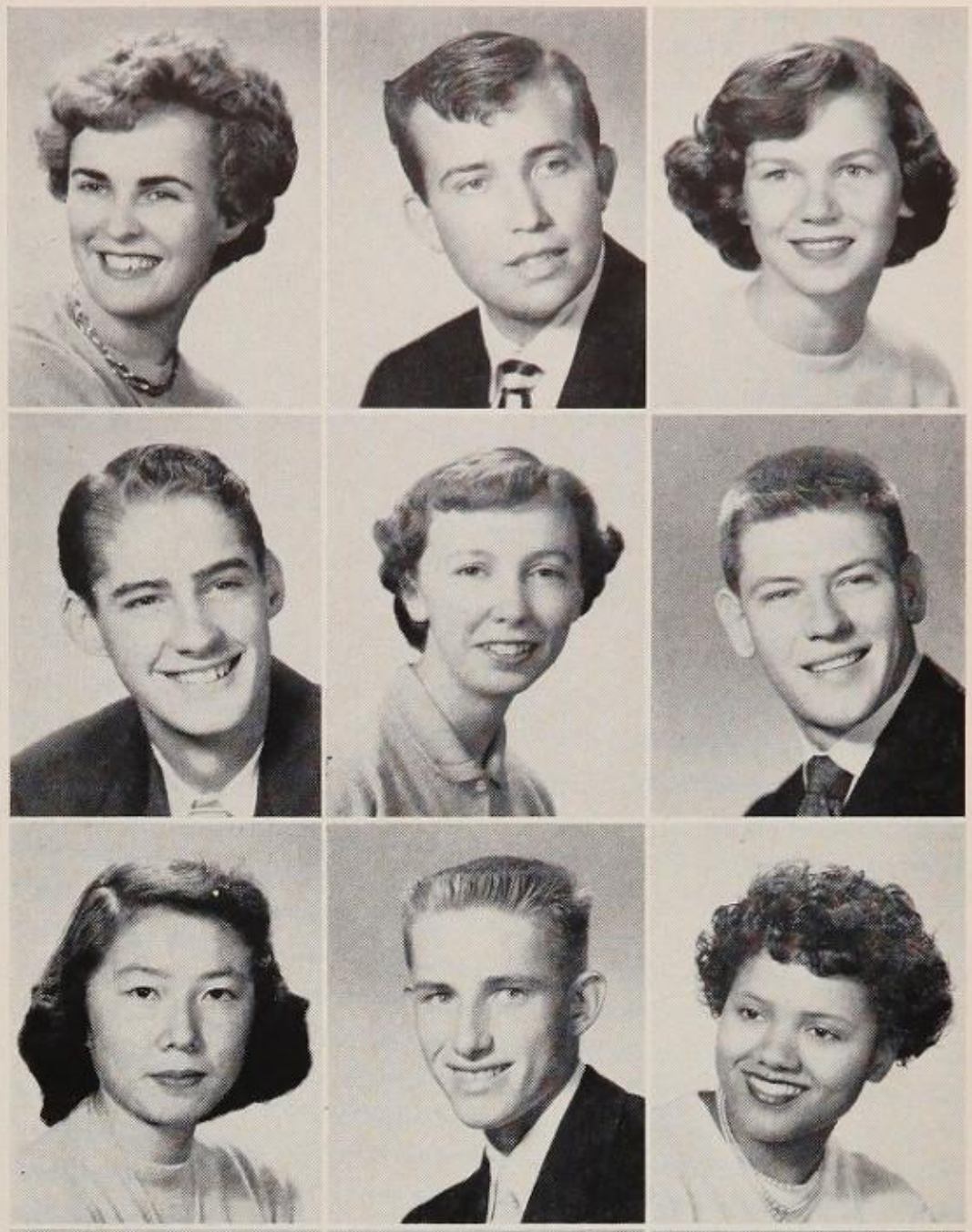
ANDERSON, MERRY ELLEN—1. Science Club, 2. A.G.S., 3. Talent Shows, 4. Fly-chaser on T.V.—"Short in stature, long on talk."

ANDERSON, WALFRID—1. Track, 2. Frosh President, 3. Ex Board—"Hob, nob is his word: giv't or take't"

AOYAGI, SHIZUE SUE—1. German Club, 2. Glee Club, 3. College—"I stick to the straight path of duty."

ARMOND, ROBERT LAURENCE—1. Track, 2. Latin Club, 3. Engineer—"My own thoughts are my own companions."

ARMSTRONG, FRANCES L.—1. Glee Club, 2. Marriage—"It more becomes a woman to be silent than to talk."



ARTZ, CAROLE LYNN—1. Recreation Commission, 2. Senior Council, 3. A.G.S., 4. Powers Model—"A ready wit and a cheerful smile."

ATKINSON, ARLENE EVELYN—1. A.G.S., 2. Recreation Commission, 3. Afterschool Sports, 4. Housewife—"Undisturbed she pursued the quiet tenor of her ways."

AUSVE, CARMEN MARIE—1. French Club, 2. Tri-Y, 3. Ex Board, 4. Semi-classical Singer—"A friendly heart with many friends."

BACON, CAROL LEE—1. Junior Council, 2. A.G.S., 3. Tri-Y, 4. Legal Secretary—"It's nice to be natural when you're naturally nice."

BAY, BARBARA JAYNE—1. Tri-Y Secretary, 2. Interior Decorator—"A girl you couldn't help but love."

BECK, ALBERT—"I sometimes do believe and sometimes do not."

BEAN, ROBERT—"Ay, sir, I have a pretty wit."

BENDER, MARLENE—"Dimples have been the downfall of many boys."

BENDINELLI, JERALD—1. Ex Board, 2. A.B.S., 3. Junior Council, 4. Pharmacist—"His genius is his friendliness."

BERG, RUSSELL—"We that have good wits have much to answer for."

BERRIDGE, RONALD CHARLES—1. Basketball, 2. A.B.S., 3. HI-Y, 4. Teaching—"If only those girls would let me alone."

BIRD, WILLIAM—"He left a promise to return again."

BJORK, FRED—1. Elm Staff—"One man in his time plays many parts."

BLANCHARD, JOHN EVERETT—1. Football, 2. Race car driver—"Long in stature, short on talk."

BODMER, HARRY—1. Latin Club, 2. Ex Board, 3. Tennis, 4. Dentist—"A maiden's smile is cause for a blush."

BOETGER, VENITA JEAN—1. Senior Editor of Elm, 2. Stagecraft Commissioner, 3. Honor Society, 4. Midget Racer—"Eat, drink, and be merry, for tomorrow we may die!"

BOGUE, CHARLES MYRON—1. Footlighters, 2. Latin Club Pres., 3. Cafeteria Commissioner, 4. Starving Artist—"Out of breath and very busy about many things."

BOOTS, CARRYL ANN—"A carefree heart lightens burdens."

BOULDEN, CAROL—1. Senior Council, 2. Secretary—"She does her part and cares not she for praise."

BOWNASS, KATHRYN MARITA—1. French Club, 2. Footlighters, 3. See the world—"Gentle of speech and beneficent of mind."

BRENNAN, TERRY—"I have promised to make all this matter even."

BROOME, CHARLES T.—1. Track, 2. A.B.S., 3. Spanish Club, 4. T.V. Electronics—"As merry as the day is long."

BROWN, JERALD—"He shall share good fortune."

BRUSCHI, ROBERT JOHN—1. Own a night club—"The car's the thing."

BRYANT, OLIVER—"He left a promise to return again."

BRYANT, WILLIAM—"It is to be all made of fantasy."

BURKINSHAW, KAY—1. A.G.S., A Capella Choir, 3. Ex Board, 4. Interior Decorator—"Nods and becks and wreathed smiles."

BYRNES, CAROLAN—1. Ex Board, 2. Rally Commission, 3. Tri-Y, 4. A.C.P.A.—"Hang sorrow! Care will kill a cat, therefore let's be merry."

CALKINS, HARRY—"Still waters run deep."

CAMERON, DAVID—1. A millionaire—"Worry and I have never met—and don't introduce us."

CARLSON, CAROL ANN—1. Spanish Club, 2. Tri-Y, 3. Physical Therapist—"One who says little, but takes in everything."

CARLSON, DANIEL W.—1. Radio Commissioner, 2. Science Club, 3. Stagecraft, 4. Chiropractor—"I like this place and willingly could waste my time in it."

CARLSON, JUDY—1. Spanish Club Pres., 2. Girls' Block S.M., 3. Honor Society, 4. Home Economist—"She does all things well."

CARR, RONALD—"Here was he merry, hearing of a SONG."

CAVANAUGH, BARRY—1. Insurance Broker—"If silence were gold, I'd be a millionaire."

CHAPMAN, GAIL—1. Footlighters, 2. Tri-Y, 3. Nurse—"One who laughs often and does it well."

CHRISTIANSON, BETTY JEAN—"All the world's a stage."

CLAY, DONALD—1. Track—"He knows what is what."

CLINE, MARIAN—"And give them friendly welcome."

COLLINS, COLETTE VIRGINIA—1. Secretary—"She speaks, acts, and behaves just as she ought to."

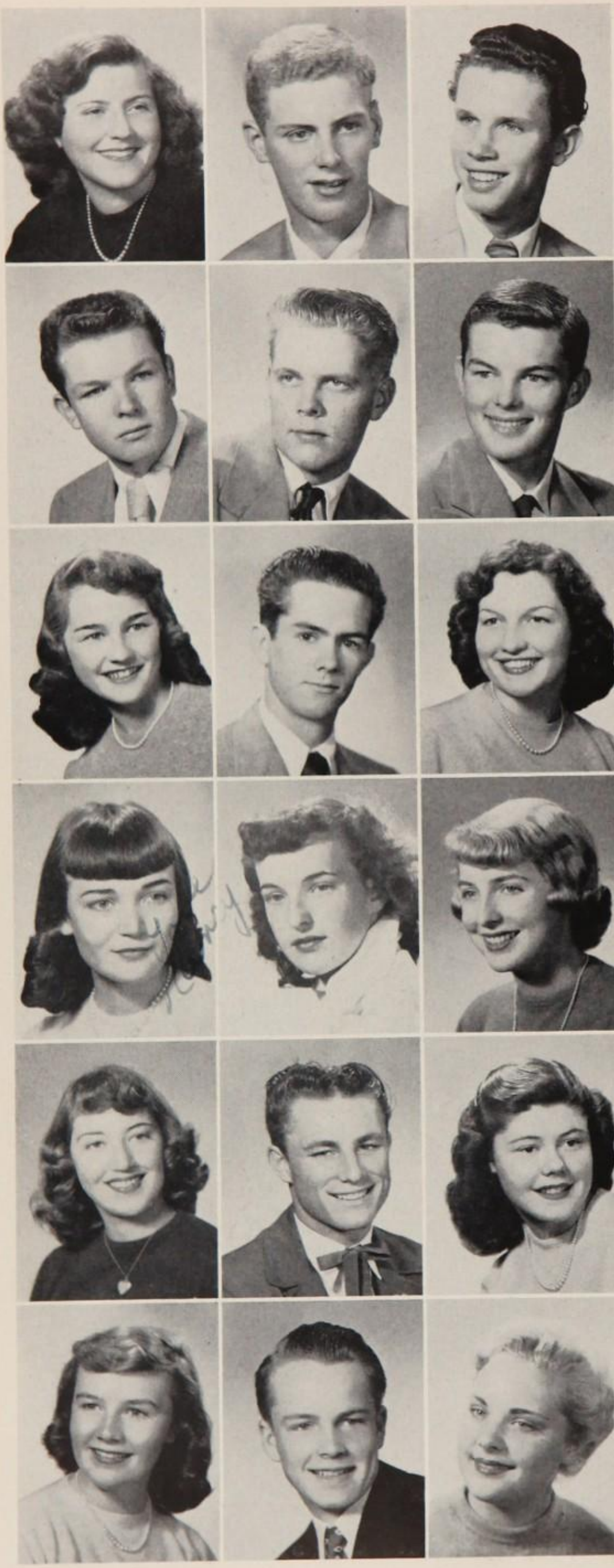
CONCA, JOAN MARIE—1. Glee Club, 2. Airline Hostess—"Like many of her sex, she is gifted with the gift o'gab."

CORDES, CHARLES F.—1. Ex Board, 2. Orchestra, 3. Science Club, 4. Nuclear Physicist—"I must have liberty withal, as large a charter as the wind."

CORNISH, THOMAS—"I will continue that I broached in jest."

COX, SHARLENE EDNA—1. Popular Piano Teacher—"Loved books, but loved parties more."

CRAIG, JANET—1. Honor Society, 2. Art Commission, 3. Camera Club, 4. Commercial Artist—"Her virtues are her arts."



CRAVETTI, JANET TERESA—1. Glee Club, 2. Hair Stylist—"Such an unassuming maid."

CREIGHTON, JOHN—1. Water Polo, 2. Science Club, 3. Honor Society, 4. A Faithful Disciple—"Life will be the fulfillment of my commission."

CRIPPEN, LARRY RAY—1. Ex Board, 2. Basketball, 3. Girls—"He would rather talk with a woman than an angel any day."

CULLEN, TOM—"Dimples were his downfall."

CUNNINGHAM, WILLIAM—"And there I stood looking amazed."

CURNOW, RICHARD—1. Rally Commission, 2. A.B.S., 3. Ex Board, 4. Foreign Service—"He went to Finnocchio's!"

DANIELS, BARBARA JEANNE—1. Dance Commission, 2. Ex Board, 3. Tri-Y, 4. U. of Arizona—"Would you believe I, too, was once bashful?"

DANIELS, DAVID—1. A.B.S., 2. Ex Board, 3. Automobile Engineer—"Never do today what you can do tomorrow."

DANNER, JOANNA—"She shall share good fortune."

DARCY, NANCY ELAINE—"I hope to see London once ere I die."

DAVIS, SHIRLEY—1. French Club, 2. College—"If only there were more time for fun and less time for work."

DILLAN, SHIRLEY—1. A.G.S. Cabinet, 2. French Club, Song Leader, 3. Dance Commission, 4. Bar maid—"For she was just the quiet type."

DOCHOW, BEVERLY JUNE—1. A.G.S., 2. Radio Production, 3. Housewife—"Live slowly; it feels better."

DOUGLAS, DAN L.—"Handsome is as handsome does, but it helps to be born good looking.

DRAPER, WAYNETTE MARLENE—1. A.G.S., 2. A secretary—"Her modesty is a candle to her virtue."

DUFFY, JOANNE—1. Spanish Club Treasurer, 2. Footlighters, 3. Ex Board, 4. Airline Stewardess—"Full of pep, and a good head."

EBERHARD, JOHN—"I strike quickly, being moved."

ELSDOR, SHARON—"Her mind was not entirely in her work."

ENGEL, ROBERT—1. Junior Council, 2. Ex Board, 3. Elm Staff, 4. Tea Taster—"Silence is more eloquent than words."

ESCHENAUER, JANET—"They say she has nothing but good habits."

ESKILSON, MARIAN—1. Honor Society, 2. Footlighters, 3. Senior Council, 4. Dietetic Research Chemist—"Soft! I will go along."

FALK, DALE—1. Drama Commissioner, 2. Footlighters Secretary, 3. Senior Council, 4. Drama Teacher—"She burnt her candle at all three ends."

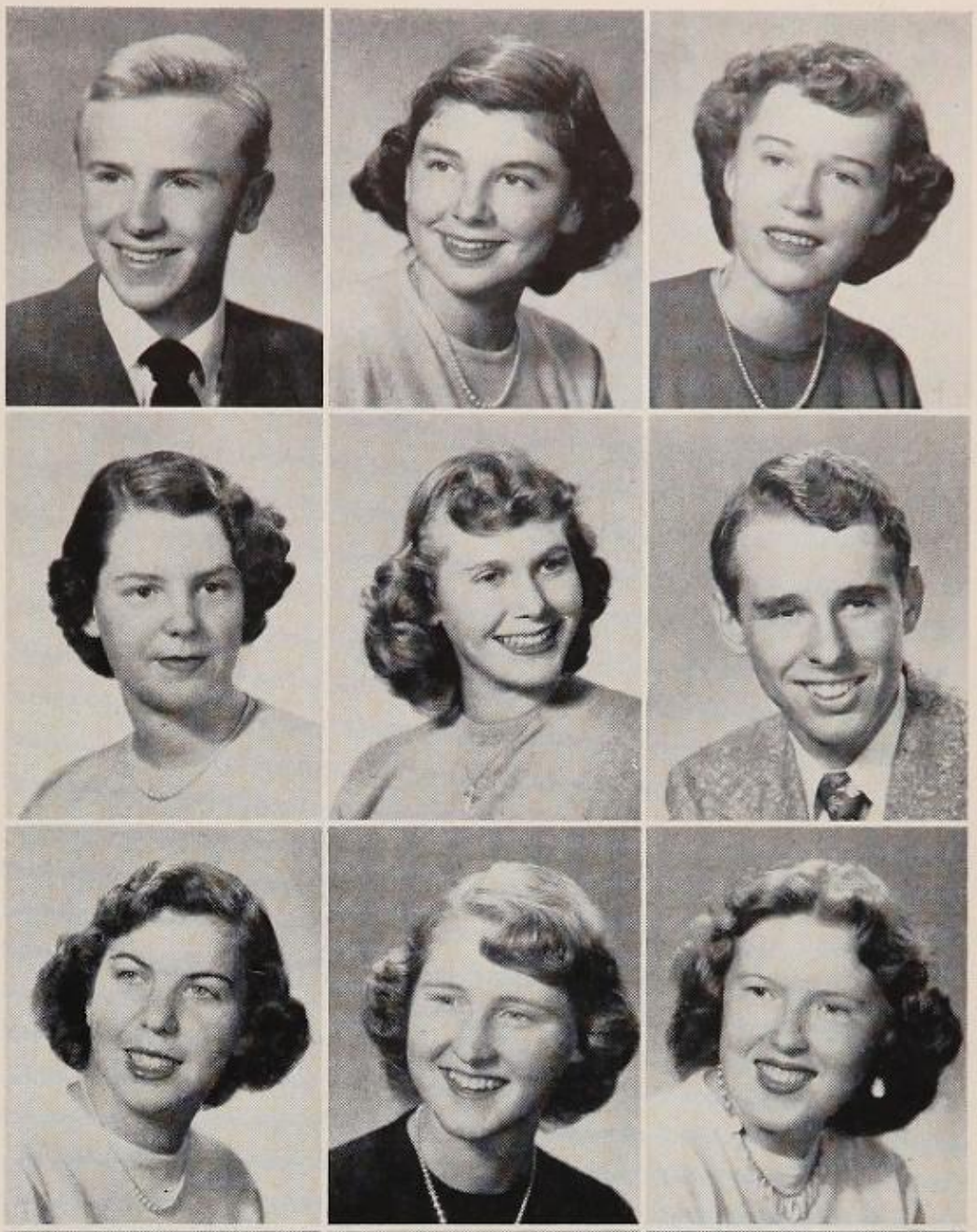
FAVRE, MAUREEN—1. Ex Board, 2. A.G.S., 3. Senior Council, 4. Stewardess—"A little fun is good for most anyone."

FAVERO, HUBERT—1. Chemical Engineer—"An agile mind and clever hands."

FELDMAN, ARDIS JOAN—1. A.G.S., 2. Tri-Y, 3. Nurses Club Secretary, 4. Psychologist—"Think twice before you speak once—then say it anyway."

FENTON, JEAN—1. Footlighters, 2. Ex Board, 3. Senior Council, 4. Secretary—"The force of her own merit makes her own way."

FERRINGTON, JUDITH—1. Sports, 2. Footlighters, 3. Choir, 4. Raise Thoroughbreds—"I strove for none, for none was worth my strife."



FILIPPO, JUNE—1. A Secretary—"Women of few words are best."

FISHER, VERNON—1. A lucrative job—"A racing lad, quickly leaving the past behind him."

FITCH, SANDRA—1. Footlighters Sec., 2. A Capella Choir, 3. Spanish Club, 4. Airline Stewardess—"Life is a jest and all things show it; I thought it once and now I know it."

FOOKES, WILLIAM—"And see how the future lends content."

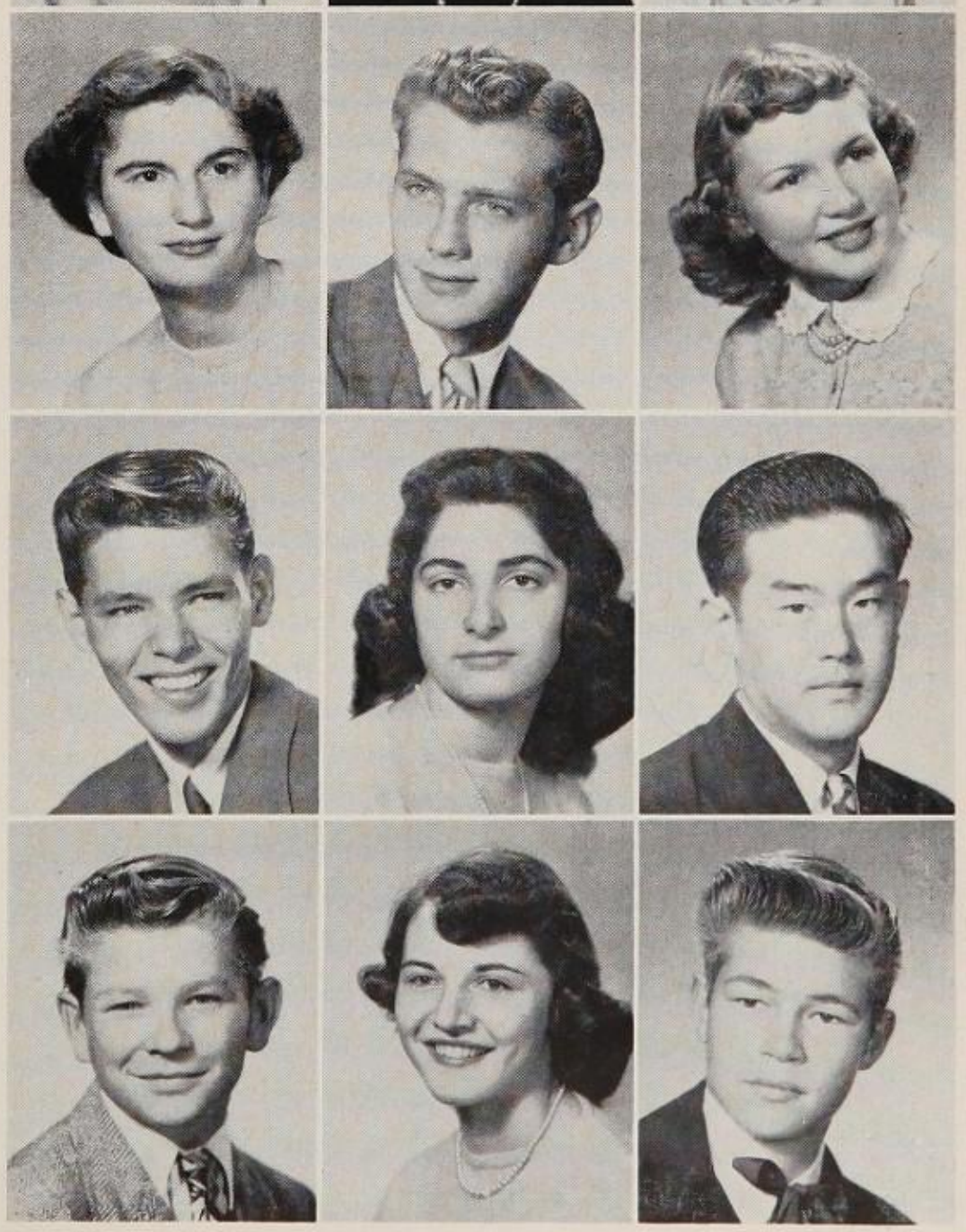
FREDIANELLI, MARIAN MARIE—1. Ex Board, 2. Dental Assistant—"Most any girl will talk when you get her started."

FUJITO, ROLAND—1. Football, 2. Track, 3. Honor Society, 4. Engineer—"Much often goes with few words."

GAGE, RENNIE—1. A.B.S., 2. Fly to the moon—"But let them measure us by what they will."

GARBINI, LOUISE G.—1. Spanish Club, 2. Secretary—"Always ready to do a kind act."

GARNER, KENNETH—1. Midget car driver—"To work or not to work—that is the question!"



GARROTTO, PATRICIA JOY—1. Elm Staff, 2. Ex Board, 3. Tri-Y, 4. P.A.A. Stewardess—"Fond of evertyhing—but books."

GASTON, SUSAN ELIZABETH—1. Spanish Club, 2. Elm Staff, 3. Bowling Club Pres., 4. Airline Hostess—"Silence is golden—treasure it!"

GENASCI, ERNEST—"Goodbye, Girls, I'm leaving old S.M.U.H.S.!"

GONZALEZ, GRACE—1. Secretary—"Industrious is she."

GHIELMETTI, CAROL—1. A.G.S. Cabinet, 2. Junior Class V.-P., 3. Ex Board, 4. Stewardess. "As true a friend as ever lived."

GIBSON, JOANNE—"I would adventure down future paths."

GILMARTIN, MARILYN ANN—1. Senior Council, 2. Tri-Y, 3. Spanish Club, 4. Business Administration—"Go away and let me sleep!"

GIMLIN, DANIEL G.—1. Spanish Club V.-P., 2. Junior Statesmen, 3. A.B.S., 4. Resort Manager. "I have gained by experience."

GODLEY, JERRY LEE—1. Footlighters Pres., 2. Nursing Club V.-P., 3. Senior Council, 4. Nurse—"True as the dial to the sun."

GORDON, PATRICIA DIANE—1. Honor Society, 2. Science Club, 3. French Club, 4. Concert Pianist—"Methodical, cheerful, and busy."

GRANDONA, LORRAINE MARY—1. Join the Navy—"I shall say what I think, and do as I please."

GRANT, JUDY—1. Soph Class Sec., 2. Rally Commission, 3. Ex Board, 4. Go to Cal!—"Happy I am, and from care I'm free; why aren't all contented like me?"

GREEN, PATRICIA—1. Afterschool Sports, 2. Airline Stewardess—"She's one high-flyer."

GREGORY, SALLY—1. W.A.C. Radio Technician—"She was with us such a short time."

GRIFFITH, SHIRLEY—"True, I talk of dreams."

GROSSMAN, CHARLES—1. Honor Society—"I never knew so young a body with so old a head!"

GUIVER, RUTH—1. Airline Stewardess—"My bounty is as boundless as the sea."

GUNTER, LA RETTA—1. Ex Board, 2. Glee Club, 3. Footlighters, 4. Be first on moon (with S.N.)—"Hang sorrow! Care will kill the cat. Therefore, let's be merry."

HAAKER, JOYCE—1. Rally Commission, 2. A.G.S.—"She never worries and everything goes smoothly."

HAAS, JARED—"Give me a torch; I am not for this ambling."

HAGENAH, CAROLL—1. Pompon Girl, 2. Ex Board, 3. Rally Commission—"I'm just naturally quiet!"

HAMILTON, CAROLYNE—1. A.G.S., 2. G.A.C., 3. Art Commission—"A ready wit and a cheerful smile."

HAMILTON, HARLAN—"To be or not to be?"

HANSEN, PHYLLIS CHRISTINE—"Hitch your wagon to a star."

HARCHA, NORMA—"She would be as swift in motion as a ball."

HARLOW, DIANE ESTELLE—1. Footlighters, 2. A.G.S., 3. Recreation Commission, 4. Harvard Co-ed—"A good and steady worker."

HARRIS, NORMAN—1. A.B.S.—"He is wise who doth talk little."

HARRIS, PHILLIP LEE—1. Football, 2. Baseball, 3. Learn a good trade—"Optimism is the faith that leads to achievement."

HARRIS, WAYNE—1. German Club, 2. Science Club, 3. School Choir, 4. A Hyperopsyllabicsiquepedalionist—" 'Nuff said!!"

HAYS, WALTER—1. S.B. Treasurer, 2. Governor of Y.M.C.A. Youth Govt., 3. Sports—"As the voice of many waters."

HEAD, MARGERY—1. A.G.S., 2. Ex Board—"There was a maid among the men."

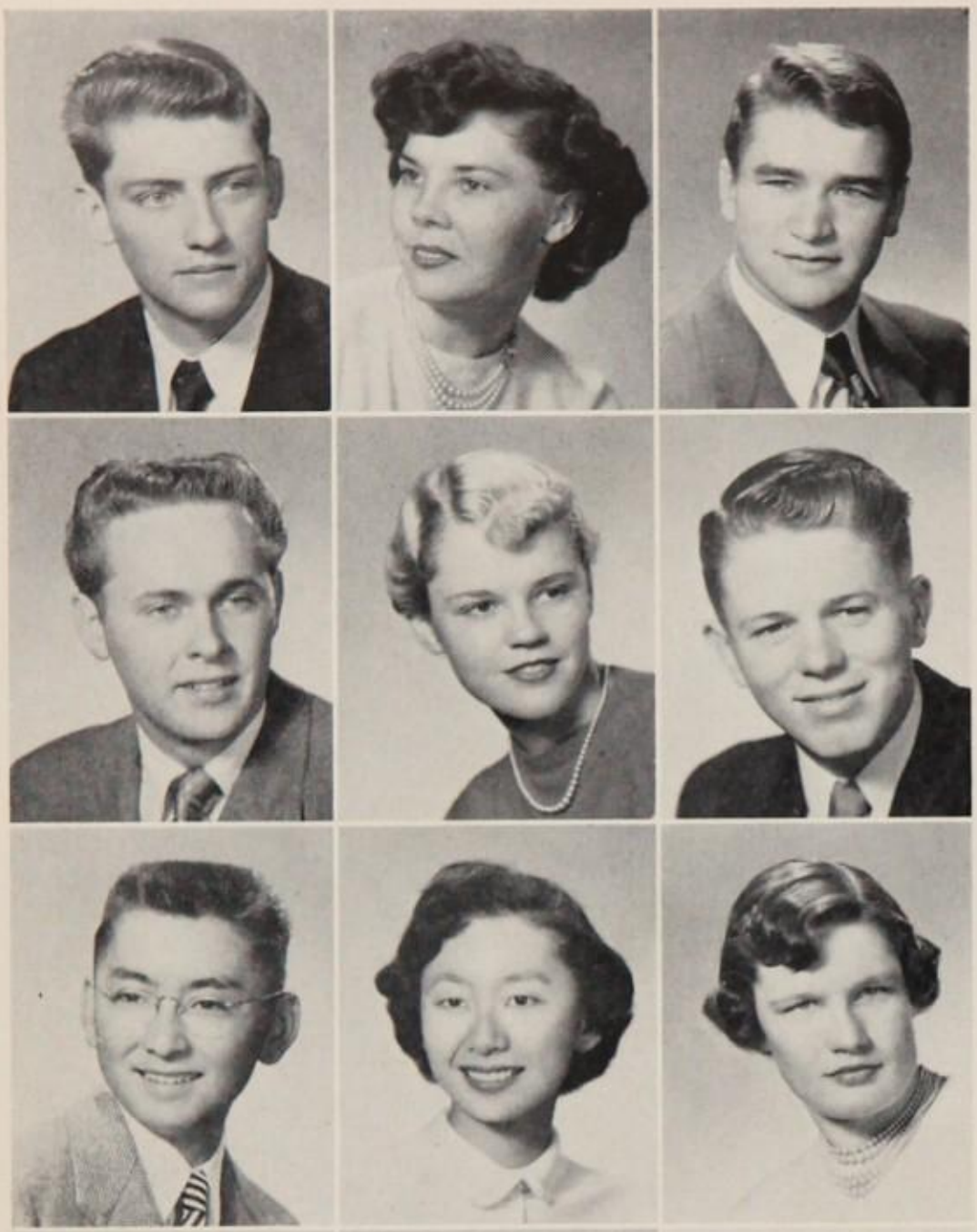
HEATHCOTE, LESLIE GAIL—1. A.G.S. V.-P., 2. Tri-Y, 3. Ex Board, 4. Kindergarten Teacher—"A willful woman must have her way."

HENDERSON, CHARLES—"Direct my sail! On lusty gentlemen!"

HENSEL, JAMES E.—1. Football, 2. Knights, 3. A.B.S., 4. Collegiate Football—"On with the game; let joy be unconfined."

HAFF, CHARLES EDWARD—1. Grounds Commission, 2. German Club, 3. Science Club, 4. A mililonaire—"And yet I wish but for the things I have."

HOLMES, SALLY—1. Junior Class V.-P., 2. Ex Board—"Woody was her care and her delight; most in her thoughts and ever in her sight."



HOMEWOOD, DONALD—1. Pilot—"Men of few words are best."

HUBLER, JUANITA—"And she shall share good fortune"

HUNT, RICHARD—1. A.S. President, 2. Soph Class Pres., 3. Knights—"Words are women; deeds are men."

HUNTING, B. J.—1. Track, 2. Work for Uncle Sam—"Not that I loved study less, but I loved fun more."

HURD, NANCY—"Small, fair, and full of fun; always ahead of every one."

HUSTON, RICHARD—1. Rally Commission, 2. A.B.S., 3. Football, 4. Inventor—"If everyone worked as hard as he, a splendid place this world would be."

IKEDA, EDDIE—1. Basketball, 2. A.B.S., 3. Ex Board, 4. Church work—"There were 'Giants in the Earth' in those days."

IKEDA, JUNE—1. Ex Board, 2. Afterschool sports, 3. Honor Society, 4. Teacher—"The force of her own merit will make her way easy."

INGRAM, REGINA JOAN—1. Block S.M., 2. G.P.A.L. Secretary, 3. Radio, 4. A comedienne—"The future I may face now; I have proved the past."

IVES, BETTY—"The best is yet to be."

JACHENS, CAROL—1. Freshman Girls' Commissioner, 2. German Club Pres., 3. A.G.S. Cabinet—"Her vision penetrates beyond the task."

JACKMAN, FRED M.—1. U.S. Forest Service. "Good nature and good sense must never join."

JACKSON, DONALD DALE—1. S.B. Auditor, 2. Boys' State, 3. Honor Society, 4. Watermelon seed remover—"The pen is mightier than the sword!"

JACKSON, NANCY ADELYN—1. A.G.S., 2. Tri-Y, 3. T.V. Dancer—"Optimism is the faith that leads to achievement."

JAMES, CARL—1. Block S.M., 2. Swimming, 3. Electronics engineer—"All good things are ours."

JAMESON, ADRIENNE—1. Sports, 2. Dance Commission, 3. A.G.S., 4. A millionaire—"Reason and knowledge are the highest strength of man."

JAMESON, DEAN—"My times be in thy hand! Perfect the cup as planned."

JOHANSEN, ERIC—1. Track, 2. Band, 3. Senior Council, 4. Dairyman—"Worries never bother me; what difference will a century be?"

JOHNSON, DONALD NEIL—1. Track, 2. A.B.S., 3. Ex Board, 4. Bindle Stiff—"Direct my sail! On, lusty gentlemen!"

JOHNSON, JANICE JEANNE—1. Sr. Band, 2. Orchestra, 3. Choir, 4. A Teacher—"Then, as the touch of his loved instrument gives hope and fervor, nearer draws his theme."

JONES, JAMES RONALD—1. Soph. Class Pres., 2. Rally Commissioner, 3. Traffic Commissioner, 4. Dentist—"He was so good he would pour rosewater on a toad."

JORDON, CAROL FRANCES—1. French Club, 2. Art Commission, 3. Senior Council, 4. Dress Designer—"Her modesty is a candle to her virtue."

KAFTEN, JACKIE—1. The world with a fence around it—"Another newcomer who made her presence felt."

KAHN, JOANNE DALE—1. Housewife—"She sheds a halo of repose."

KAMRAR, JAMES—1. Basketball, 2. Track, 3. Radio Production—"He was a hard fellow to fathom."

KARNES, DONNA—"Dew and glory, love and truth, Sweet, sweet, sweet, sweet!"

KEELTY, MILLIE—"But I would not walk all alone till I die."

KELTON, BARBARA—"Taking them all for what they're worth."

KENNETT, MARIAM—"A little fun is good for most anyone."

KERNICK, RICHARD—1. Knights, 2. Football, 3. Ex Board—"A rose without a thorn."

KERR, JOYCE DIANE—1. Sr. Class Sec., 2. A.G.S. Cabinet, 3. Elm Activities Editor, 4. Team up with the Air Force—"For men may come and men may go, but one remains forever."

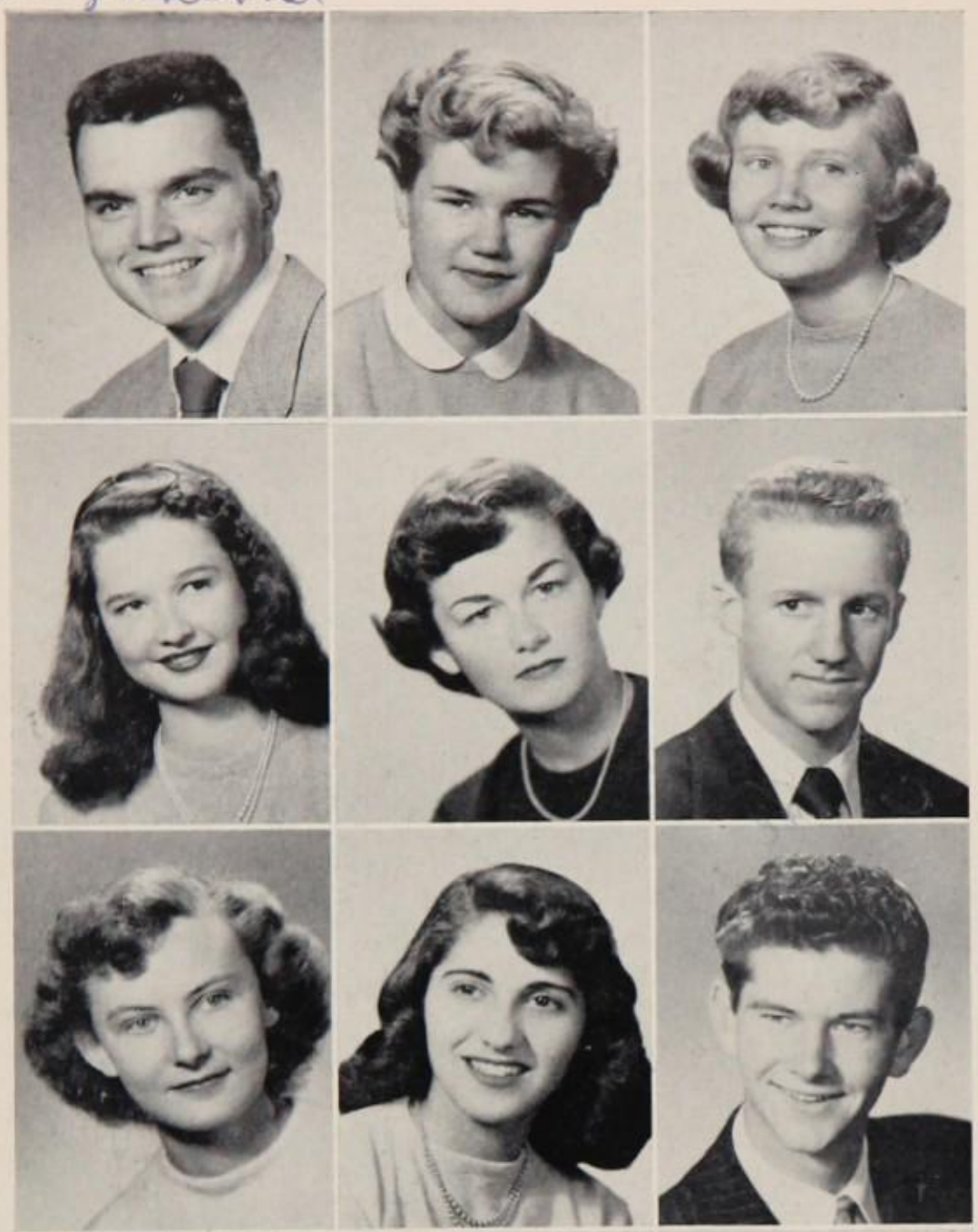
KESSLER, MAUREEN—"It takes a clever woman to conceal what she does not know."

KINDINGER, BARBARA—"Spend all you have for loveliness; buy it and never count the cost."

KITAGAWA, WILLIAM—1. Basketball—"It was morning on hill and stream and tree; and morning in the young knight's heart."

KLESS, BARBARA—1. French Club, 2. A.G.S., 3. Ex Board—"Woman at best is contradiction still."

KOUTNEY, CARYL—1. Spanish Club, 2. Hi Staff, 3. Bowling Club Treas., 4. M. Monroe's Understudy—"We are all placed here to do something."



LACHNER, LEWIS HENRY—1. Tennis Team, 2. A.B.S. Pres., 3. Honor Society, 4. Medicine—"Speak the speech I pray you, as I pronounced it to you."

LA FLEUR, GAYLE—1. Spanish Club, 2. Ex Board, 3. A.G.S., 4. Veterinarian—"For never anything can be amiss, when simplicity and duty tender it."

LAGEN, NANCY—1. Recreation Commission, 2. French Club, 3. Elm Staff—"Not to know me is to argue yourself unknown."

LANGSTON, JANICE—"My pulse, as yours, doth temperately keep time."

LARSON, ARLEENE—1. A.G.S., 2. Rally Commission, 3. Ex Board—"Beauty is only skin deep; but that's sufficient—we're not cannibals."

LASLEY, ROBERT—"He found reprimands his daily lot but he lived through them."

LATTA, MARIAN LEE—1. Art Commission, 2. Footlighters, 3. Sports, 4. Artist—"He who allows himself to be contented is rich enough."

LEANUES, SHIRLEY—1. Ex Board, 2. To graduate—"A carefree heart lightens burdens."

LEDWITH, WARREN—1. Ranger—"There are enough serious things in life without considering yourself one of them."

LEWIS, LEA RAE—1. Sports, 2. Band, 3. French Club, 4. Nurse—"We are the music makers, And we are the dreamer of dreams."

LLOYD, GORDON R.—"We carve the wood to the wanted shape."

LONG, SHEILA—1. Tri-Y, 2. Ex Board, 3. Elm Staff, 4. College—"Capacity for joy admits of temptation."

LUND, MURIEL A.—1. Ex Board, 2. Tri-Y, 3. A.G.S.—"Oh where, oh where is my little boy going?"

MacDONALD, SALI—1. Ex Board, 2. Elm Staff, 3. Spanish Club—"It takes life to love life."

MACPHERSON, PEARCE—1. Choir, 2. Footlighters, 3. Musical Therapist—"Music has charms to sooth the savage breast."

MANOLIS, KATHERINE—1. Glee, 2. Dramatics, 3. Airline Hostess—"The older I grow, the less I know, Ask the teachers—they'll tell you so."

MANUEL, PEG—1. S. B. Secretary, 2. Publicity Commissioner, 3. Honor Society, 4. Executive Secretary—"The proper study of mankind is man."

MARLOW, WILLIAM—1. Printer—"A laughing young man, sunny with freckles."

MARTINELLI, JACK—"Come on, boys, man made the skyscrapers."

MATSUDA, KENJE—"And the thoughts of youth are long, long thoughts."

McCANN, ALICE—"Things are different in the West."

McCANN, BARBARA LEE—1. Glee, 2. Ex Board, 3. Knight of the Road—"Happy am I; from care I'm free!"

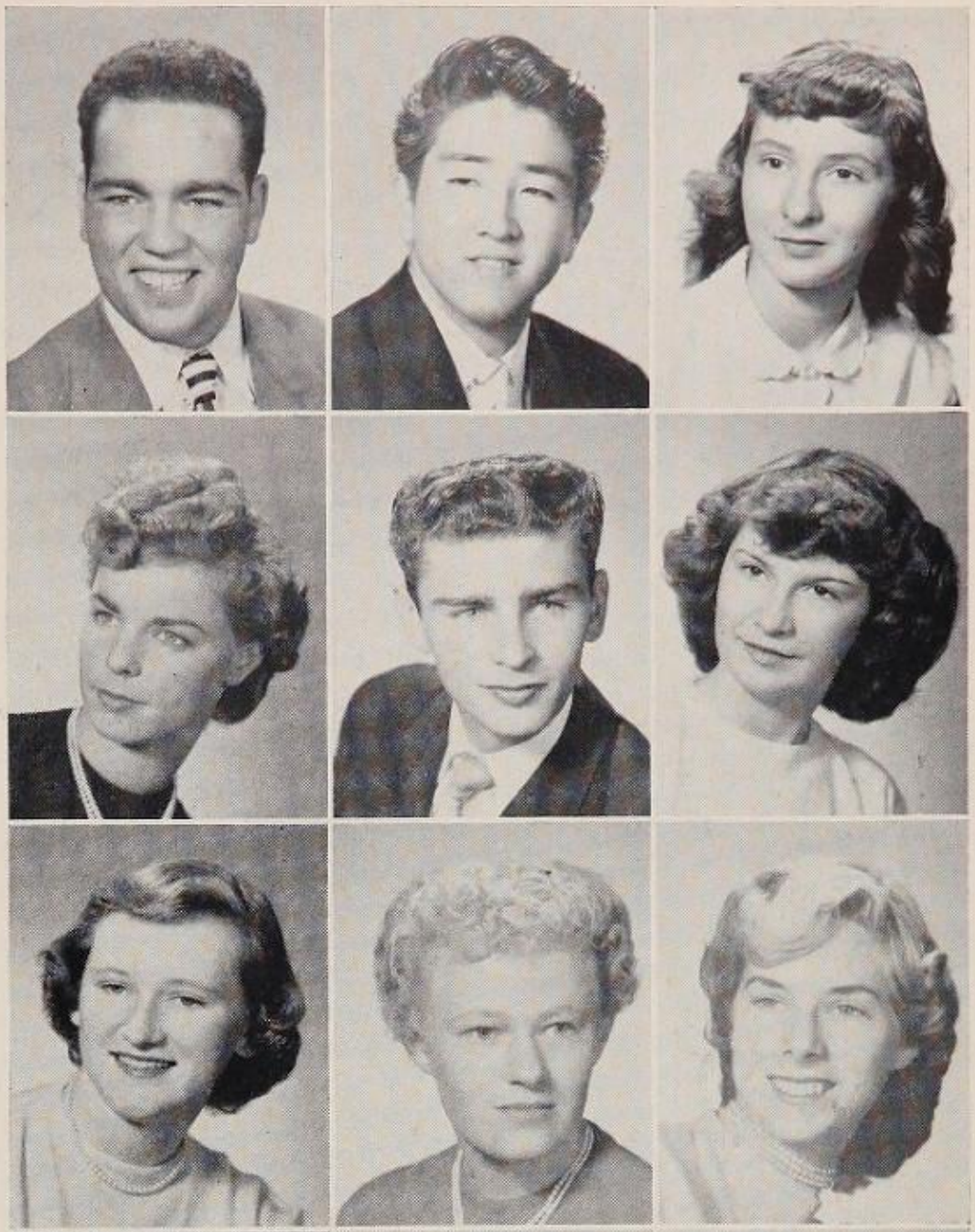
McCOOL, DOUGLAS—1. Football, 2. Track, 3. Ex Board, 4. A millionaire—"God bless the girls, I love them all; They're a thing of joy and expense, forever."

McCORMICK, EILEEN—"And he who followeth Love's behest far excelleth all the rest."

McCURDY, SHARON—1. French Club, 2. Spanish Club, 3. Airline Stewardess—"Knowledge is more than equivalent to force."

McDONNELL, LOUISE MICKEY—1. Glee Club, 2. To be 5 feet 1 inch—"I expect that women will be the last thing civilized by men."

McGRATH, SHELLY SABRA—1. College—"Few things are impossible in diligence."



McLENNAN, CHARLES—"The valiant never taste of death but once."

McMAHON, NORINE—"Ride, boldly ride, if you seek for Eldorado."

McMANN, BETTE—1. Junior Class Sec., 2. Ex Board, 3. Senior Council, 4. Dental Hygenist—"She was a phantom of delight.

McMARTIN, MARY JUNE—1. Secretary—"Serene, I fold my hands and wait."

MELODIA, ALBERT PAUL—1. A.B.S., 2. Success—"I am in the role of the common man."

MENGHINI, EMIL—1. Ex Board, 2. G Man—"It is good to live and learn."

MERRY, ANN—"For gentleness and love and trust prevail o'er angry wave and gust."

MEYERS, GARY—1. Spanish Club, 2. Band, 3. The Navy—"The shortest answer is doing."

MILLER, REED—1. German Club, 2. Science Club, 3. Honor Society, 4. Astrophysicist—"I am a part of all I have met."

MILLS, LOIS ELAINE—1. Choir, 2. Talent Show, 3. Footlighters, 4. Musical Comedy—"Music is well said to be the speech of angels."

MITCHELL, ROBERT—"The reward of a thing well done is to have done it."

MOLINARO, NANCY—"I'm sure care's an enemy to life."

MONTGOMERY, HELEN—1. Honor Society Pres., 2. Soph. Class Sec., 3. Ex Board—"Some day all this toil will be worth the triumph of an hour."

MORRIS, WARENE CAROL—1. Newspaper Photographer—"For she was the quiet kind."

MORTON, BARBARA—1. French Club, 2. Spanish Club, 3. Tri-Y, 4. P.A.A. Stewardess—"My shadow walks before me."

MUNCEY, CAROLE—"Ladies, withdraw: the gallants are at hand."

NAUD, NANCY E.—1. German Club, 2. Science Club, 3. A Cappella Choir, 4. College—"The only way to have a friend is to be one."

NEEDLES, CHARLES—"Nay, you shall find no boy's play here."

NEEDLES, LILLIAN—1. Ex Board, 2. Sports, 3. Airline Hostess—"Let the worst come to worst."

NELSON, DONALD CRAIG—1. A.B.S., 2. Radio Production, 3. Psychology—"Let all things be done decently and in order."

NELSEN, STEPHEN—1. Junior Council, 2. Senior Council, 3. Ex Board, 4. The first man on the moon—"Ah, wad some power the giftie gie us, To see oursel's as ithers see us."

NEWCOMB, HELEN—"What Lamb: What Ladybird!"

NEWTON, MARY FRANCES—1. Recreation Commission, 2. Sports, 3. Receptionist.—"Mary, Mary, quite contrary."

NICHOLS, ROBERT EDWARD—1. German Club, 2. Science Club, 3. Honor Society, 4. Chemical Engineer—"Everyone is the son of his own words."

NICKS, JOAN E.—1. Secretary—"The trivial round, the common task, Would furnish all we ought to ask."

NIEBUR, ROBERT JAMES—1. Basketball, 2. Swimming, 3. Ex Board, 4. Accountant—"An ounce of mirth is worth a pound of sorrow."

NIELSON, LARS—1. German Club, 2. French Club, 3. Stage Design Club, 4. Archaeologist—"A merry heart doeth good like a medicine."

NOEL, FRANK—"To me every hour is a miracle."

NORMAN, MARY—1. Tri-Y, 2. Ex Board, 3. A.G.S.—"So sweet the blush of bashfulness?"

O'BRIEN, RICHARD—"Come, let's see the event."

OTTLEY, LEROY—1. Freshman President, 2. Football, 3. Baseball—"The proof of the pudding is in the eating."

OVERSTREET, NORMAN—1. To graduate—"All the world loves a lover."

PARK, MARILYN—"All goes onward and outward, nothing collapses."

PARKS, LAURA—"For the sun sifts through the shade."

PARKS, PATRICIA—"Her speech was always with grace."

PARSONS, ELEANOR—1. To get into society—"Oh these social climbers."

PATRICK, PATRICIA—1. Airline Hostess—"Time brings all things."

PECTEN, SONIA—1. Stagecraft, 2. Ex Board, 3. A.G.S., 4. The Ballet—"As gay as any."

PELZNER, MARVIN—"Something there is that doesn't love a wall."

PENTEK, SHEILA TERESE—1. Ex Board, 2. Senior Council, 3. To marry a sailor—"It isn't so much what a woman stands for, But what she falls for—"

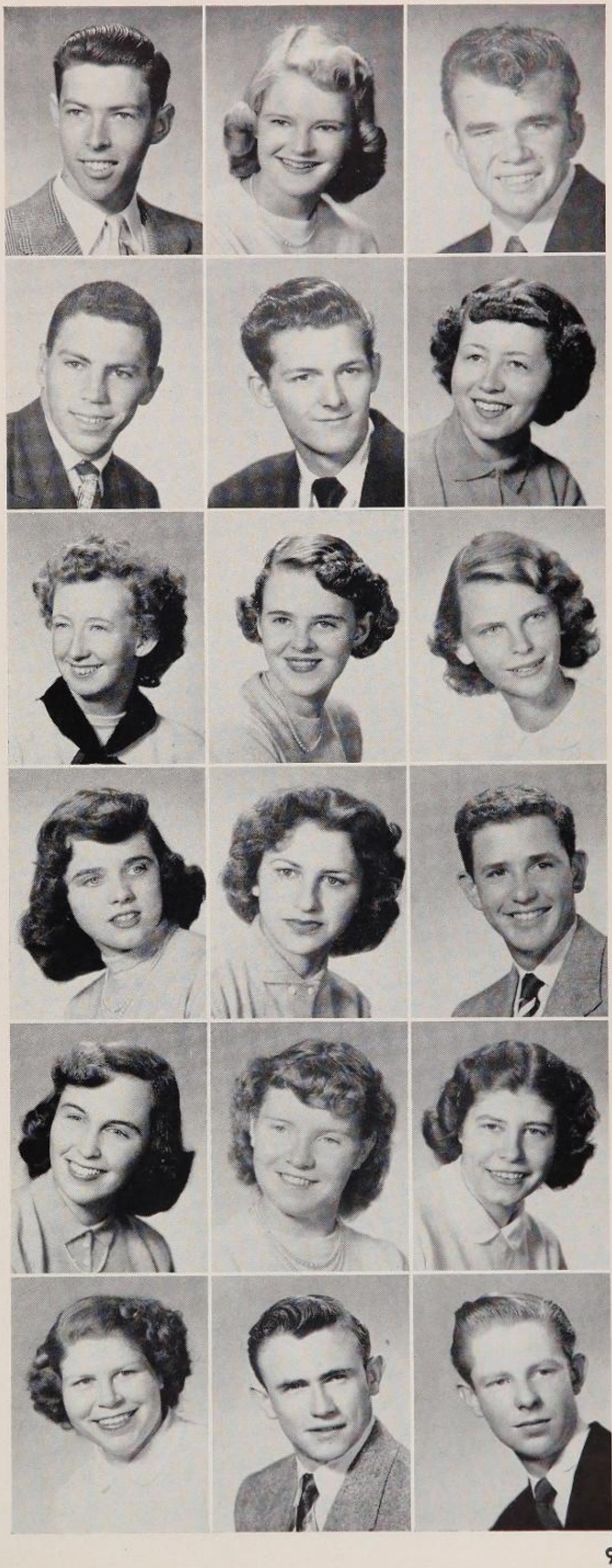
PETERSEN, FRANCES IRENE—1. Footlighters, 2. Secretary—"A kind and gentle heart."

PETERSON, MARGARET—1. Spanish Club, 2. Nurses Club, 3. A Nurse—"Here's to thy health!"

PETERSON, MARGERY—"Rich in good works."

PICKELL, JOHN WILLIAM—"There's a time for all things."

PICKERING, RICHARD B.—1. Senior Council, 2. Mechanical Engineer—"Honesty is the best policy."



PORTER, MARY—"I cannot see what flowers are at my feet."

POULSON, YVONNE LOUISE—1. French Club, 2. Tri-Y, 3. Ex Board, 4. To prove a point—"I shall say what I think!"

PRICE, KIRBY—1. Rally Commission, 2. Ex Board, 3. Footlighters, 4. Grammar School Teacher—"An imp of mischief."

PURDY, ROBERT—"Oh, what noble mind is here o'erthrown."

QUARFOOT, JESLYN—1. Glee Club, 2. Specified Office Clerk—"Never an idle minute."

QUEEN, CLYDE—1. Talent Show, 2. Spanish Club, 3. Dance Commission, 4. A Commercial Artist—"She walks with quiet grace."

QUEEN, DONALD—"To achieve with useful talent."

QUOCK, SHIRLEY—1. A Secretary—"She was never found wearing a frown."

RAY, ANN—1. French Club, 2. Ex Board, 3. Footlighters, 4. A Nurse—"I have a heart with room for every joy."

REED, DIANNE—1. French Club, 2. Tri-Y, 3. A.G.S.—"Anything for the quiet life."

REYNARD, ELAINE—1. Sports, 2. P.E. Teacher—"The day shall not be up so soon as I, to try the fair adventure of tomorrow."

REYNOLDS, MARILYN KAY—1. Art Commission, 2. Dance Commission, 3. French Club, 4. To write a best seller—"Tempest in a teapot."

RIDDLE, PEGGY ANN—1. Glee Club, 2. Airline Hostess—"My way is to begin with the beginning."

RIGDON, MARY ELLEN—1. Recreation Commission, 2. Sports, 3. Ex Board, 4. A Secretary—"A joke's a very serious thing."

ROBERTS, RICHARD—1. Honor Society, 2. Science Club, 3. Track, 4. Electrical Engineer—"Let all things be done decently and in order."

ROBERTS, TOM—1. To graduate—"Why hurry?"

ROBINSON, ALVIN—1. The Air Force—"Great men are dying all around me—in fact I don't feel so well my self."

RODDA, KAY—"Gather ye rosebuds while ye may, Old Time is still a flying."

ROGERS, JOHN ALBERT—1. A.B.S., 2. Hi-Y, 3. A Lawyer—"Knowledge is power."

ROLLING, JAMES—"Man is a reasoning animal."

ROLOFF, GORDON—1. Track, 2. A.B.S.—"The older I grow the less I know, Ask the teachers—they'll tell you so."

ROSS, WILFRED—1. Science Club, 2. A Dentist—"Happy-go-lucky, gay and free, Nothing is there that bothers me."

ROUNDS, PATSY ANN—1. A Secretary—"Cheer up. The worst is yet to come."

ROUNTREE, PAT CECILIA—1. A Writer—"She has never been known to look twice at a boy?"

RUPPELL, ROBERT MAYHEW—1. A Tea Totler—"He thought he knew women."

RYAN, JAMES M.—1. A Successful Millionaire—"And on he slept through all the strife and turmoil."

SANDERS, ROBERT—1. Latin Club, 2. Science Club, 3. German Club, 4. To Get Rich—"Of course I study but the teachers just don't appreciate me!"

SAPUNAR, JAY—1. A.B.S., 2. Golf, 3. Football, 4. Elude Uncle Sam—"A girl! A girl! My kingdom for a girl."

SCHALDOCK, RICHARD—"Observe the opportunity."

SCHELL, MARIAN—"A maid among the football heroes."

SCHNEIDER, PAT—1. French Club, 2. Study Medicine—"All work and no play."

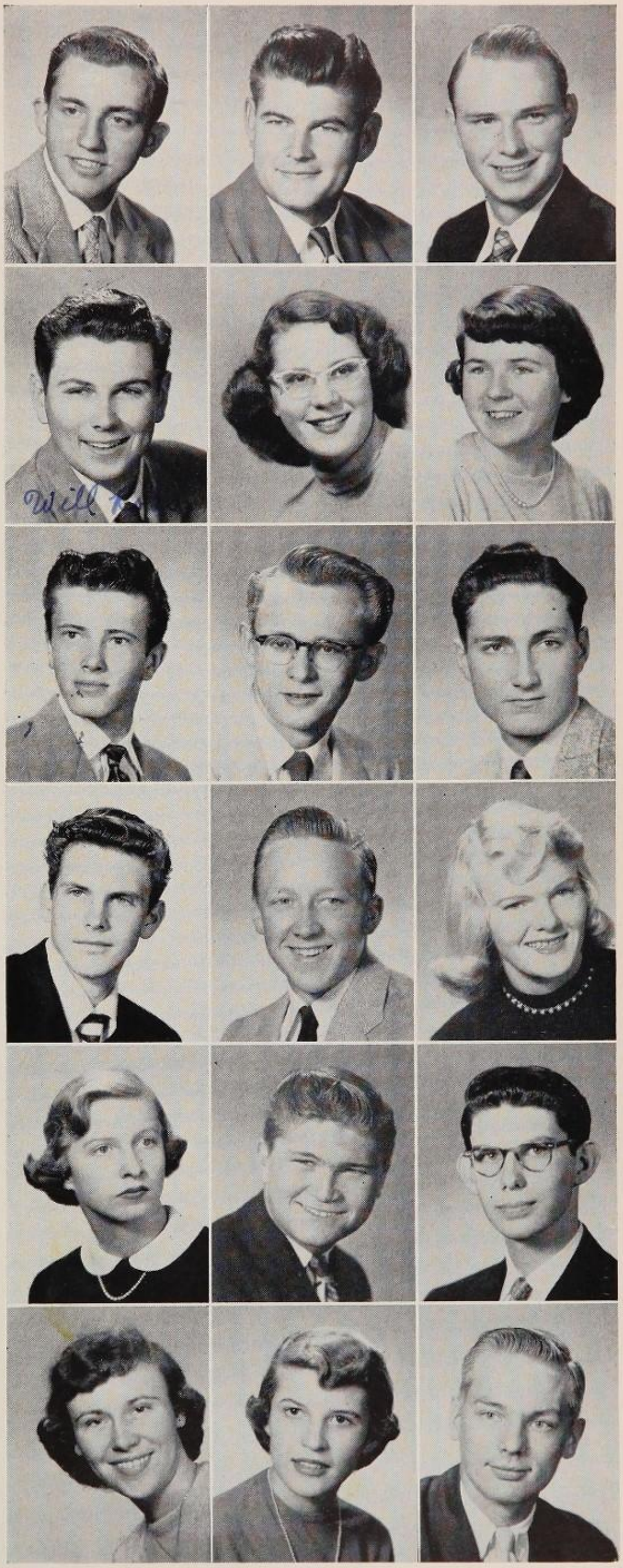
SCHULER, FRED—"A great pilot can sail even when his canvas is rent."

SCHWALB, SANFORD—1. Science Club, 2. Orchestra, 3. Band—"Reliability is a virtue."

SCONIERS, GWEN—"Put on her garments of gladness."

SEE, AUDREY—1. Freshman Sec., 2. A.G.S. Cabinet, 3. Rally Commission, 4. Airline Stewardess—"She looks a goddess and moves a queen."

SEIDEL, KENNETH—1. A Wealthy Playboy—"Oh, this learning, what a thing it is!"



SHEEHAN, ROSE MARY—1. Ex Board, 2. Airline Stewardess—"Oh heaven! Were man but constant he were perfect."

SHERMAN, NANCY FRANCES—1. Tri-Y, 2. Latin Club, 3. Secretary—"Good things come in small packages."

SIMPSON, CAROLANN—1. Latin Club, 2. Tri-Y, 3. Nurses Club, 4. A Nurse—"Silence is the mother of truth."

SINGER, SHIRLEY—"Unto her is paradise opened."

SINSLEY, RAYMOND D.—1. Basketball, 2. A.B.S., 3. A Pilot—"Young fellows will be young fellows."

SIPOS, PAUL—"No evil can happen to a good man."

SMITH, BARBARA—1. Frosh-Soph Cheerleader, 2. Junior Council, 3. Spanish Club, 4. Merchandising Career—"Little Miss 'Muffette'."

SMITH, ROGER—1. Varsity Baseball, 2. Social Service Commission, 3. A.B.S., 4. Sports Writer—"And it's a Homer!"

SNYDER, ROBERT—"And he was always quietly arrayed."

SOMMERS, DONNA LEE—1. Senior Council, 2. Stenographer—"Serene I fold my hands and wait."

STALEY, BILL—"I mind my compass and my way."

STALL, RAYMOND—1. Varsity Baseball, 2. Football, 3. Senior Council—"I am sure care's an enemy to life."

STALLINGS, SANDRA—1. Girls' Block S.M., 2. G.A.C., 3. German Club, 4. Diplomatic Service—"He who laughs last laughs best."

STEIN, RONALD—"Despatch is the soul of business."

STEINDORF, GORDON—1. Elm Staff, 2. Hi-Y, 3. Abalone Diver—"The man that blushes is not quite a brute."

STILL, NANCY CAROLYN—1. Spanish Club, 2. Interior Decorator—"Just a cottage small by a waterfall."

STOLLERY, EDWARD W.—1. A.B.S., 2. Ex Board, 3. Block S.M.—"I will hear that play."

STONELAKE, HARRY—"I to my pledged word am true."

STURGIS, JAN—"And seem to walk on wings, and tread in air."

SULLENGER, MYRTLE LOIS—1. Science Club, 2. Nurses Club, 3. A Nurse—"Anything to help my fellow man."

SUYEMASA, MARIAN—1. A.G.S., 2. Sports, 3. A Pharmacist—"We all have a purpose in life."

SWANBERG, PAT—1. Elm Staff, 2. Hi Staff, 3. Spanish Club, 4. Tongue Inspector in Shoe Factory—"Wise to resolve and patient to perform."

TALLEY, GAIL—1. A Secretary—"For she was just the quiet kind."

TANNER, WILLARD BRUCE—1. Senior Council, 2. Senior Class V.-P., 3. Dance Commission—"Much often goes with few words."

TEKAWA, TY—"Whatever is worth doing at all is worth doing well."

THINGER, BYRON—"I assert that nothing ever comes to pass without a cause."

THOMAS, KATHERINE PEARL—1. Publicity Commissioner, 2. Honor Society Pres., 3. Latin Club Pres., 4. Primary Teacher—"Conversation is a game of circles."

THOMPSON, CAROLYN LOUISE—1. A.G.S., 2. Sports, 3. Dental Nurse—"Let us enjoy pleasure while we can."

THOMPSON, NAN—1. Hi Editor, 2. Spanish Club, 3. Quill and Scroll—"I have gained by experience."

THORVALD, HELEN MARIE—1. Band, 2. Orchestra, 3. Choir, 4. Music Instructor—"And the band played on."

TORMEY, JAMES R.—1. Elm Editor, 2. Ex Board, 3. Knights, 4. Retire—"I am in hot water so much I am getting hard boiled."

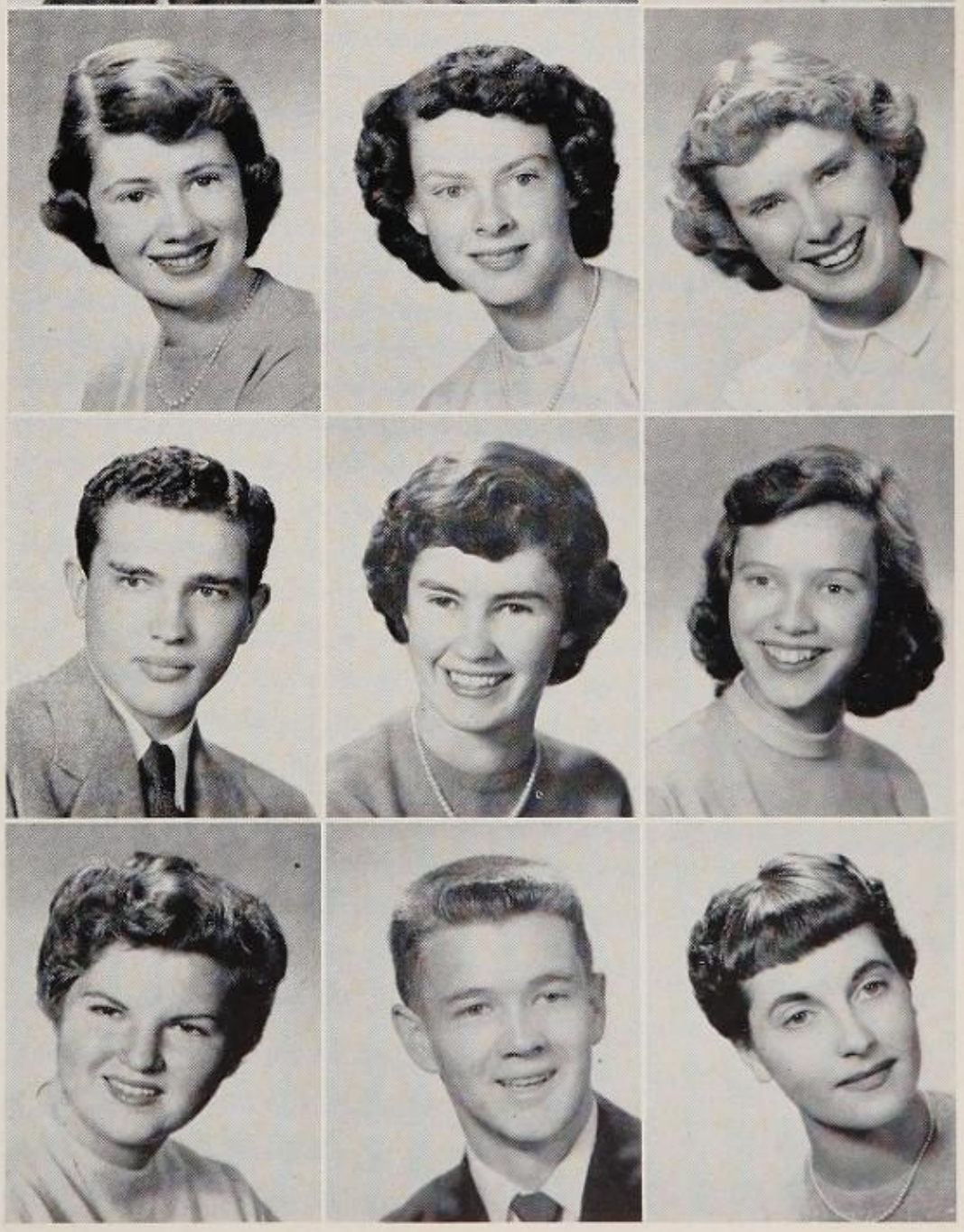
TRACY, YVONNE—1. A.G.S. Pres., 2. French Club V.-P., 3. Tri-Y, 4. Airline Hostess—"And mistress of herself though China fall."

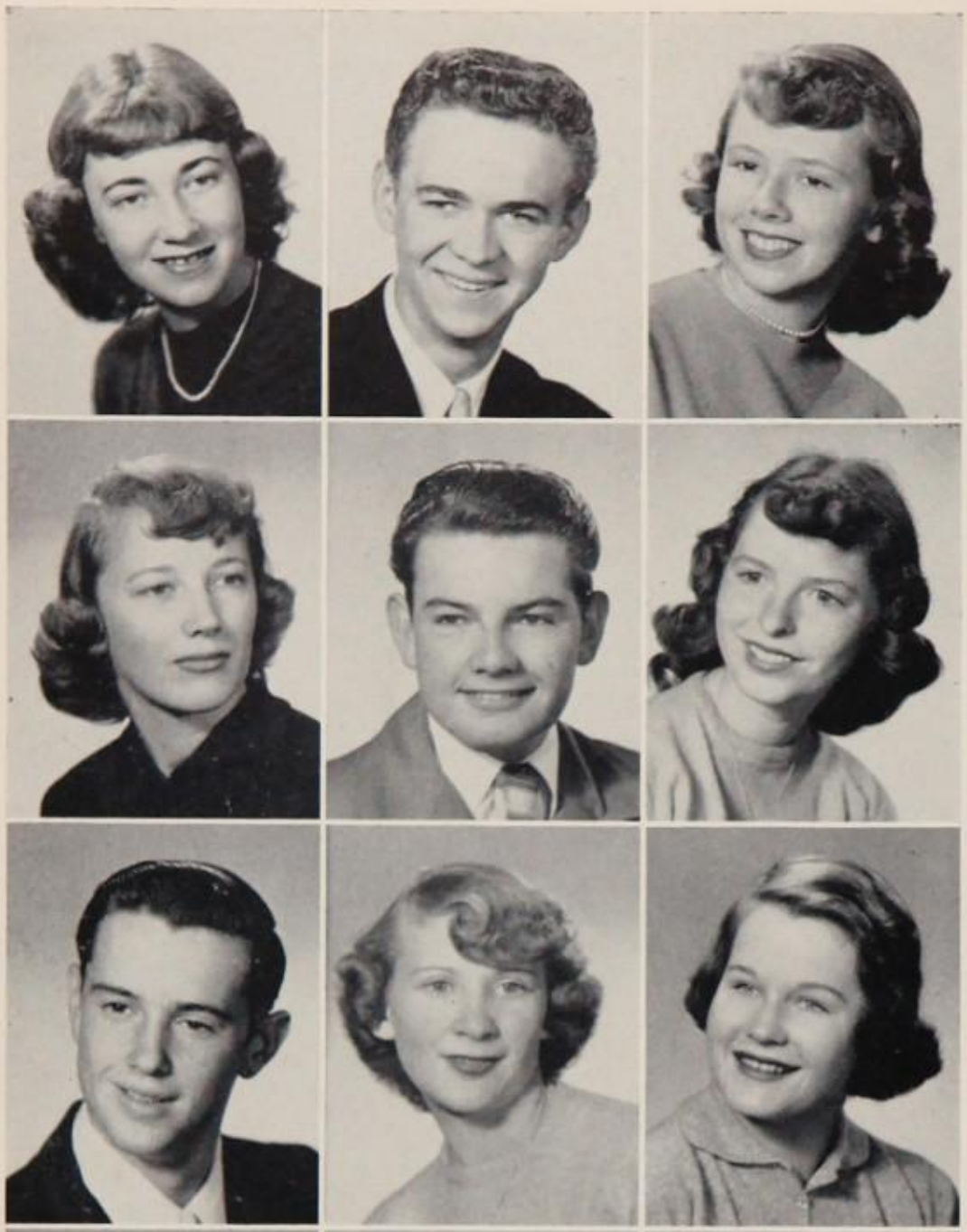
TROEDSON, SHARON GAYLE—1. Junior Council, 2. A.G.S., 3. Glee Club, 4. To Pass Eng. 8—"She never worries and everything goes smoothly."

TUNZI, GAYLE—1. Art Commission, 2. Hi Staff, 3. A.G.S., 4. Interior Decorator—"The girl with the beautiful red hair."

TURMAN, JOHN—1. German Club, 2. Science Club, 3. Chemist—"Silence is the key to contentment."

TURNER, CHRISTINE—"Life is a shuttle."





VANDERBILT, BEVERLY—"None of us liveth to himself."

VINCENT, WILLIAM EDWARD—1. Ex Board, 2. Football, 3. An Industrial Engineer—"Nothing as embarrassing as an ill-timed laugh."

VON HUSEN, ELEANOR—1. Spanish Club, 2. A.G.S., 3. Ex Board—"Life is one long dream."

WAHRER, LORE—"There was a star danced and under that was I born."

WALKER, NATHAN LEMONT—1. To be a garage owner —"Out of breath to no purpose, and very busy about nothing."

WALROD, KAY—"I hope I shall have leisure to make good."

WARD, CHARLES—1. Swimming Team, 2. Ex Board, 3. Own a gas station—"Judge me by what I am."

WATSON, KATIE—"Why, then the world's my oyster."

WATSON, RUTH—1. An Airplane Pilot—"What's the use of worrying?"

WELD, STANLEY—"He was wont to speak plain and to the purpose."

WENGER, ANNA MARIE—"I have had a dream, past the wit of man to say what dream it was."

WENSINGER, RALPH—"He was a gentleman from soul to crown."

WESSA, FRED—1. Junior Class Pres., 2. Auditorium Commissioner, 3. French Club Pres., 4. Dentist—"Into the air—Junior Birdman!"

WEST, GEORGIA MAE—1. To build a trap to hold a man —"She does not work by halves."

WHALEY, BARBARA—"I hold the world but as the world."

WHALEY, CALVIN—"A golden mind stoops not to show of dross."

WHALEY, JERRY—"I have no superfluous leisure."

WHEELER, THOMAS—"Your heart's desires be with you."

WHITAKER, DAWN B.—1. Ex Board, 2. Hi Staff, 3. A.G.S., 4. A model—"Modesty becomes a woman."

WHITAKER, JIM—1. Senior Class Pres., 2. Football, 3. Knights—"Look to fine leaders for the success of the venture."

WHITNEY, LENORE—"Dreams happy as her day."

WHITESIDE, JEAN—1. Glee Club, 2. Orchestra, 3. Drama, 4. Music Teacher—"A modest maid yet self possessed with all."

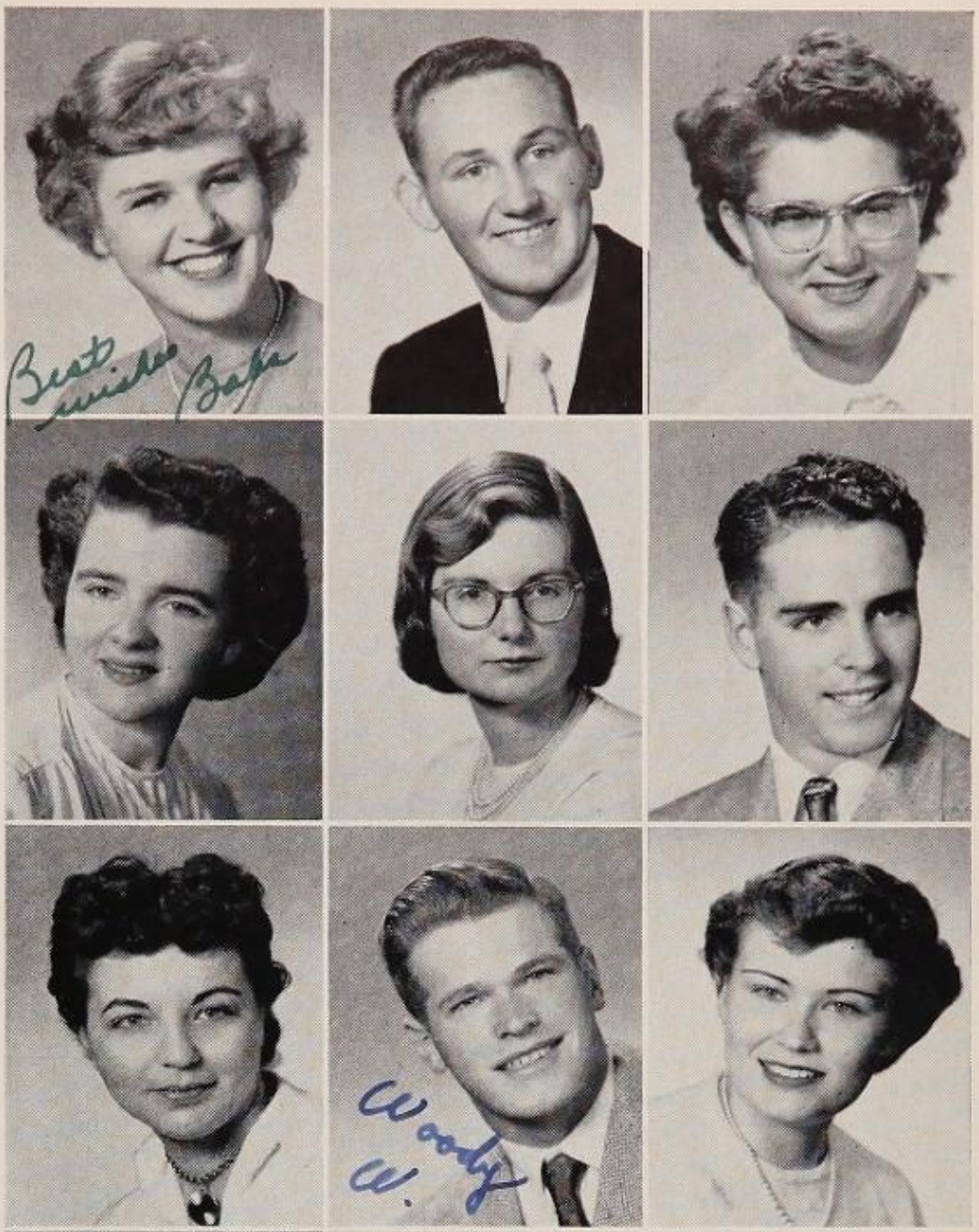
WIEST, GRETCHEN ANN—1. Tri-Y., 2. Latin Club Sec., 3. Honor Society, 4. An Army Nurse—"A kind and gentle heart she has."

WILLIAMS, WALTER—"Be proud of belong to the old proud pageant of man."

WILLIAMSON,, GAIL—"I hate nobody; I am in charity with the world."

WILLMORE, PAUL WOODY—1. S.B. V.-P., 2. Frosh Class V.-P., 3. Block S.M. V.-P.—"I often wish I were the President and then I could do anything."

WILSON, BARBARA ANNE—1. Tri-Y, 2. Own a bubble-gum factory—"Many go out for wool and come back shorn themselves."



WILSON, DIANNE—1. Ex Board, 2. Dental Assistant—"An open-hearted maiden true and pure."

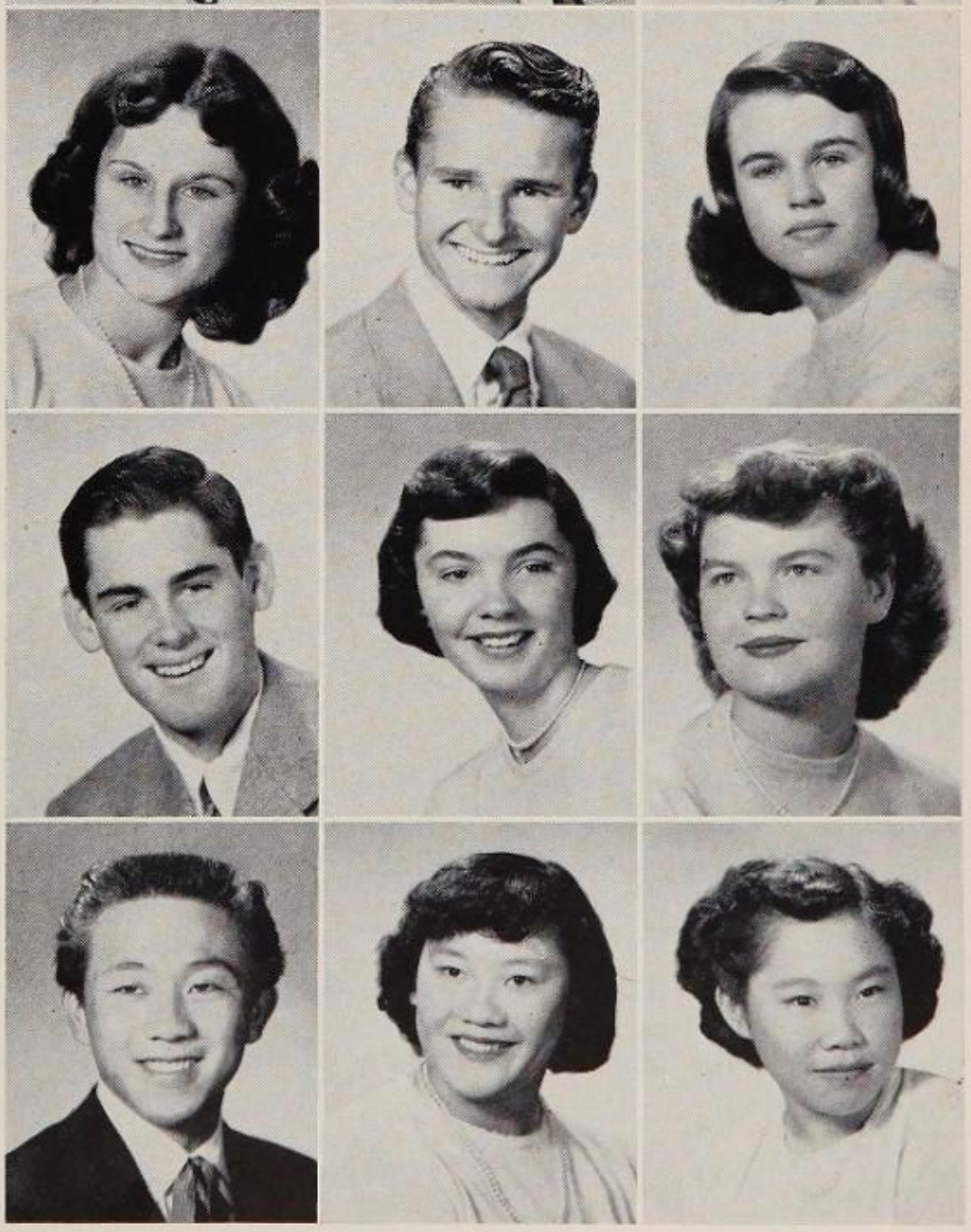
WINNEGAR, WILLIAM—1. Track, 2. Baseball, 3. Hi Staff, 4. College—"There are enough serious things in life without considering yourself one of them."

WISNOM, JANET—1. Honor Society Sec., 2. A.G.S. Cabinet, 3. G.S.C. Pres., 4. Display artist—"So small and yet so gifted."

WOLFE, DANIEL MARCH—1. Hi Staff, 2. Bowling Club, 3. Sports Writer—"All are but parts of one stupendous whole."

WOODEN, PEGGY ELLEN—1. Tri-Y, 2. Hi Staff, 3. Bowling Club, 4. Spell "psychiatrist"—"Much I have seen and much I have yet to see."

WYKOFF, MARGUERITE—"I love life, life with its change of mood and shade."



YAMADA, ELMER MINORU—1. Football, 2. Basketball, 3. Track, 4. A successful life—"Brevity is the soul of wit."

YEEMAN, MAY—1. A Secretary—"Patience is the best remedy for every trouble."

YOSHIMOTO, CHIYEKO—1. Junior Council, 2. Community Service Commission, 3. Accounting—"Content with the present whatever it may be."

ZICKE, BERNARDINE LOUISE—1. To marry a millionaire—"Time ripens all things. No man is born wise."

ZICKE, FRANCES ANTOINETTE—1. Saleswoman—"The golden opportunity is never offered twice."

ZINGLER, SUZANNE ROSALYNN—1. Pompon Girl, 2. Ex Board, 3. A.G.S., 4. Retire at twenty—"O.K.—Hit it!"

ZOPPE, DOROTHY CLAIRE—1. Recreation Commission, 2. A.G.S., 3. First Woman President—"Paths untried have a secret charm."

ROWAN, JACK—1. Football, 2. Ex-Board—"A man of deeds, not of words."

SHUTTER-SHY SENIORS

ALLEN, STANLEY LENARD
AHSFORD, WILLARD
DALECIO, MICHAEL
DEARR, WARREN
DEMARS, LARRY
ELLIS, ROGER
ERICKSON, BRUCE
EWALT, GENE
FENILI, DONALD ROBERT
FRANKLIN, RONALD
GRELIS, JOE
GUIDRY, TOM
HULL, LARRY
JACOBSON, JOHN
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KISSINGER, ROGER
KRAFT, JACKIE
LAU, HENRY
LINDEN, DONALD
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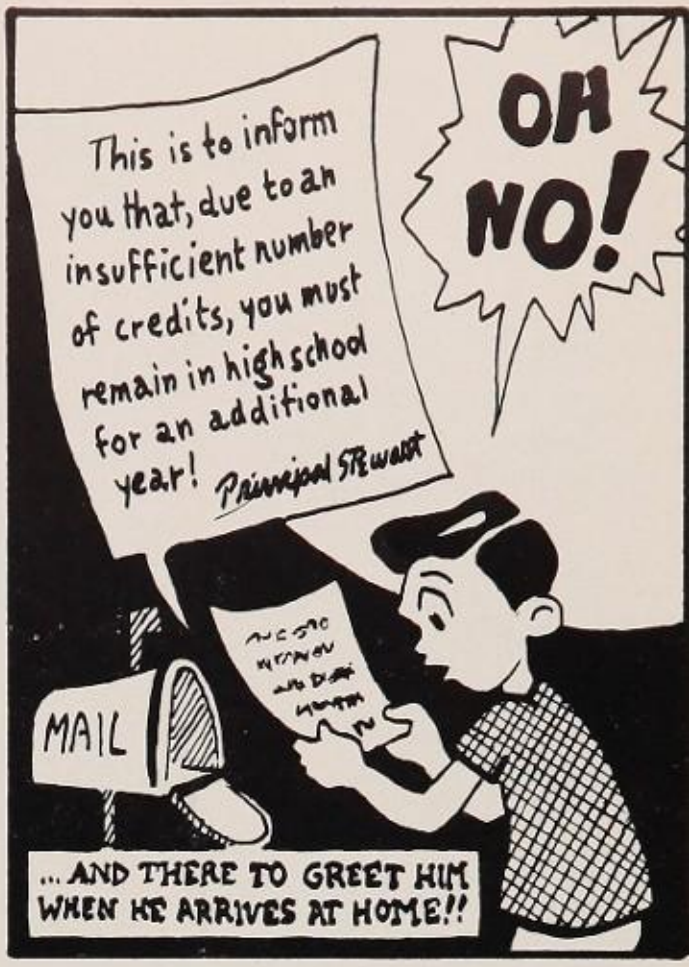
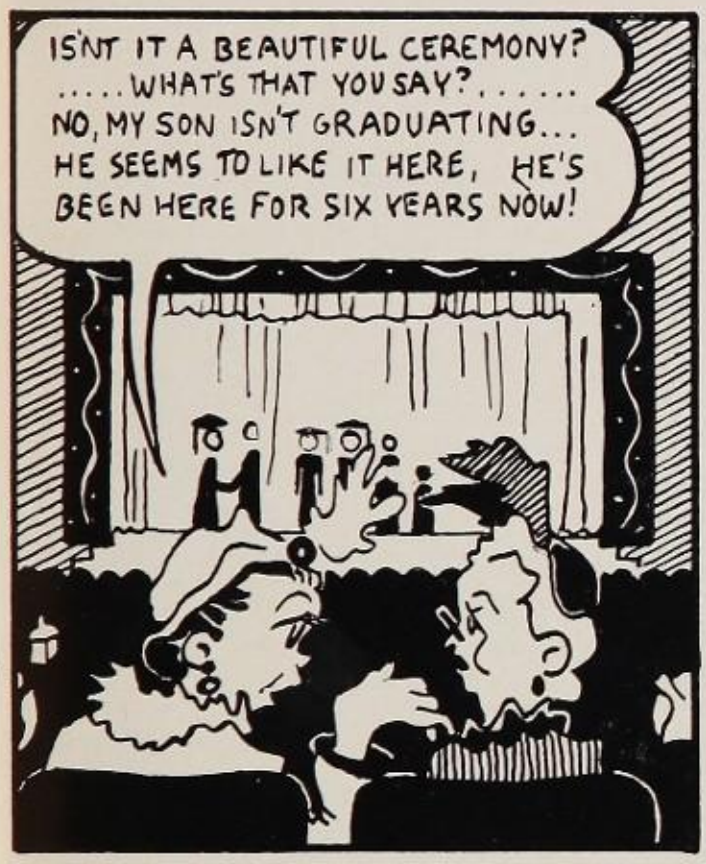
LOWENSTEIN, LEROY JOSEPH
MICKOW, MAYWIN ANN
MORRIS, GERALDINE ROSE
O'HARA, KENNETH
OSTROSKY, JOANNE
PARKER, ROBERT
RANGO, DAVID
RODRIGUES, ROBERT DAVIDE
SIMS, WALTER
SNYDER, PAUL
TAYLOR, ROBERT
VAN BEBBER, FRED
WANEK, JOHN CHARLES
WONG, RODNEY

This was the year of

The new auditorium
The long drought
The election of Eisenhower
The death of Stalin
The death of Queen Mother Mary
The carnival
The mock election
The Coronation of Elizabeth II

SAM MATEO by John Wanek


This is to inform you that, due to an insufficient number of credits, you must remain in high school for an additional year! Principal Stewart
OH NO!
MAIL
... AND THERE TO GREET HIM WHEN HE ARRIVES AT HOME!!


ISN'T IT A BEAUTIFUL CEREMONY? .....WHAT'S THAT YOU SAY?..... NO, MY SON ISN'T GRADUATING... HE SEEMS TO LIKE IT HERE, HE'S BEEN HERE FOR SIX YEARS NOW!

JAN by John Wanek

NO, BEVERLY - I'M NOT GOING TO THE SENIOR BALL WITH JACK, WHY, I WOULDN'T GO WITH HIM IF HE WERE THE LAST BOY ON EARTH!...I'M GOING WITH BILL!!

GEE, I WISH BILL WOULD HURRY UP AND GET HERE! ...OH, THE DOOR-BELL'S RINGING!
RING
THE NITE OF THE BALL!
WHY, JACK! WHAT ARE YOU DOING HERE?
HI, JAN! BILL'S SICK, AND HE ASKED ME TO TAKE YOU! HERE, PIN ON THIS CORSAGE!

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7. KEN GARNER
8. LOIS MILLS
9. MARY McMARTIN
10. WAYNE MORRIS
11. MARIAN ESKILSON
12. MARIAN SCHELL
13. JEANNETTE ALPEN
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15. DICK VICKER
16. MAUREEN FAVRE
17. PEG MANUEL
18. BARBARA BAY
19. DIANNE WILSON
20. HELEN MONTGOMERY
21. JOYCE KERR
22. MARY ELLEN ANDERSON
23. JOAN AND DON ADKINS
24. CHARLES and LILLIAN NEEDLES
25. HELEN THORVALD
26. ELLIE VON HUSEN
27. CAROL SIMPSON
28. AL BECK
29. RUTH WATSON
30. DICK HUNT
31. ARDIS FELDMAN
32. MANCY LAGEN
33. CAROL JORDAN

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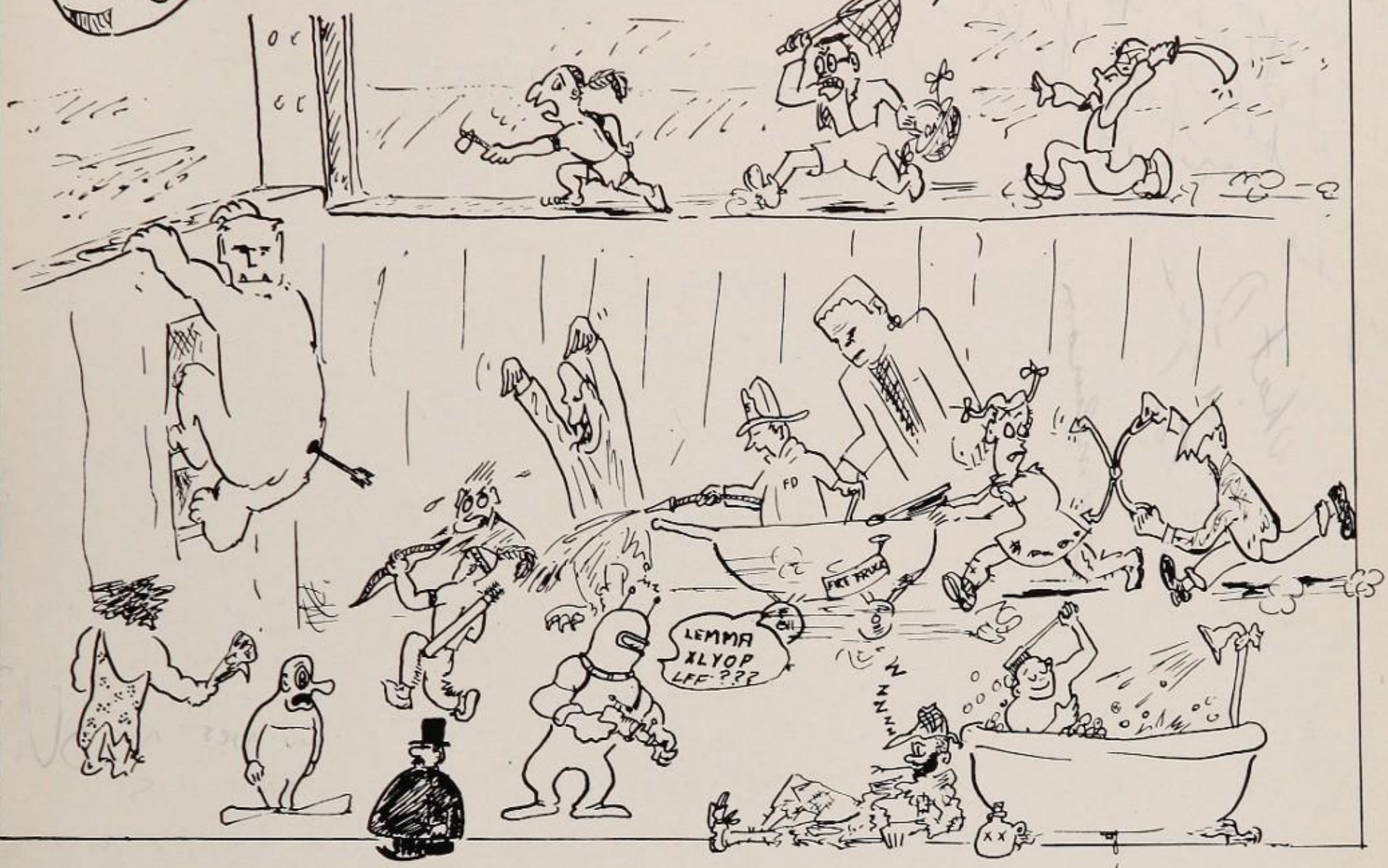
1. JUNE IKEDA
2. SHEILA LONG
3. LOUISE GARBINI
4. NANCY MOLINARO
5. VENITA BOETGER
6. PAT GREEN
7. JANET ESCHENAUER
8. JOHN WANEK
9. LESLIE HEATHCOTE
10. SANDRA FINCH
11. NAN THOMPSON
12. ADRIENNE JAMIESON
13. BEV VANDERBILT
14. PAT ROUNTREE
15. WAYNETTE DRAPER
16. JOE MARTIN
17. MARY NEWTON
18. MYRTLE SULLINGER
19. BOBBIE WILSON
20. YVONNE POULSON
21. AUDREY SEE
22. ANN MERRY
23. DALE FALK
24. BETTY CHRISTIANSON
25. SANDRA STALLINGS
26. CAROL CARLSON
27. SALLY HOLMES
28. MARIAN CLINE
29. GAIL CHAPMAN
30. JUDY CARLSON
31. CAROLE ARTZ
32. MARILYN PARKS
33. CAROL BOULDEN
34. CARYL ANN BOOTS
35. ELAINE REYNARD
36. DONNA KARNES
37. GAYLE LaFLEUR
38. JUNE FILIPPO
39. NAN THOMPSON
40. BARRY CAVANAUGH
41. MARILYN REYNOLDS
42. GRETCHEN WEIST
43. ARLENE ATKINSON
44. B. J. HUNTING
45. YVONNE TRACY

AIN'T MISBEHAVIN'

A COUPLE OF EVENTS FOR SENIORS TO REMEMBER!

GET OUT THOSE OLD RECORDS

.... Senior Jinx Day.



and-.... Senior Luncheon.

Dear Jackie
You will be a "mighty
Senior" next year!
Lucky you! I hardly
ever see John Byrnes
more, but when I do I'll
say hello for you. Good luck.
Jan Smith

"Wheel of Fortune"

SENIOR POLL 1953

Girl With the Boy

Venita Boetger	HAIR	Fred Wessa
Carol Jachens	EYES	Bill Bird
Carol Ghielmetti	SMILE	Bill Bird
Carol Ghielmetti	TEETH	Woody Wilmore
Joyce Haaker	COMPLEXION	Angelo Aguiar
Barbara Smith	LEGS	Ron Berridge
Jeanette Alpen	FIGURE	Dan Douglas
Ann Ray	PROFILE	Dan Douglas
Merry Ellen Anderson	GIGGLE	LeRoy Ottley
Carol Jachens	BRAIN	Sanford Schwalb
Kay Thomas	PERSONALITY	Andy Andersson
Marge Head	VOICE	Willard Tanner

Who's the

Carol Carlson	SHYEST	Willard Tanner
Joyce Kerr	FRIENDLIEST	Andy Andersson
Mickey See	WITTIEST	Fred Wessa
Barbara Kless	BEST DRESSED	Willard Ashford
Sandra Stallings	BEST ATHLETE	Elmer Yamada
Sandra Fitch	BEST ACTRESS-ACTOR	Chuck Bogue
Arlene Larson	BEST DATE	Jim Jones
Helen Montgomery	MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED	Walt Hays
Arlene Larson	FLIRT	Don Johnson
Shirley Dillan	MAN-HATER-WOMAN	Ron Berridge
Jan Wisnom	MISS-SAN MATEO-MR.	Dick Hunt
Sally Holmes	COUPLE OF THE YEAR	Woody Wilmore

Dear Jackie -
Well gal - another year has rolled around and we are now alumni and you are a high and mighty senior. Sure hope that you have half the fun that I have had. Hope to see you soon day in the future. Love always Joann

"POMP AND CIRCUMSTANCE"

As we come to the end of our record album of hits for 1953, we find a last and most coveted tune, "Pomp and Circumstance". Yes, our graduation is here. We have a tremendous feeling of pride and happiness now, but mixed with a certain emptiness as we look back upon the hits from our years here at San Mateo High. We're closing the album on old S. M. High now; "It Ain't Gonna Rain No More." But we can look back on our happy days and think of the great times that we have enjoyed.

Let's turn back and put the needle on that platter of our freshman year. Mr. Acheson was then the conductor at San Mateo with Le Roy Ottley as class disc jockey and Yvonne Tracy, Vice-President, and Helen Montgomery, doing the recording, we started our "Top Tune." With the first strains came our first Fun Night and that big Frosh-Soph football rally, the first of its kind. As we turn the platter over we find Andy Andersson as Spring President, Woody Wilmore, Vice-President, and Mickey See, Secretary. That great all school playday and the introducing of those "terribly undersized" eighth graders (we were beginning to be big shots by that time) were some of the highlights of our spring semester.

We were hardly into the swing of high school when we found ourselves in our sophomore year. Boy, were we big wheels now! With Dick Hunt, President; Julia Remmel, Veep; and Peg Manuel, Secretary leading the way, we started our whirl for the year with a really great Fun Night and another rally. Then Jim Jones took over the reins as Spring President with Willard Tanner, Vice-President, and Judy Grant, Secretary, for the second ha'f of our second year. The big hits were a talent show, tag day, and another Fun Night.

In our junior year we were really hopping. As we put the needle in the groove we find Fred Wessa, President, assisted by Carol Ghielmetti, Veep; and Betty McMann, Secretary, planning a Fun Night. They then gave us an unforgettable night of dancing, to Elmer Vincent's Band, at our traditional junior ball, "Stardust." We sailed into the second half of the year with another Fun Night and a big junior skate. These productions were planned and recorded by President Dick Hunt, Vice-President Sally Holmes, and Secretary Janet Wisnom. This was the year that Mr. Stewart came to San Mateo High to take over as Maestro.

Our SENIOR YEAR! And we're really jumping! Our skate and a concession at a football game were our projects for the Fall officers Jim Whitaker, Willard Tanner, and Joyce Kerr. Bill Bird was elected President, with Roland Fujito, Vice-President, and Les Heathcoate, Secretary. During this semester we really bounced, starting with a Fun Night on March 4th. We entered our new auditorium, oh happy day! (Just think, we are the first class to graduate from that long dreamed of edifice.) We had that great school carnival on April 18th, a real masterpiece. Then in rapid order came our second skate, senior luncheon, and Jinx Day. We were really going mad, dad, when we came to our last two events of the year, Senior Ball, June 6th, at the California Country Club, and then . . . Graduation.

The last record runs down and, saying goodbye to old S. M. High we close our album, the "Top Tune" in our "Hit Parade" of Life is left behind, but its melody will follow us through life.

dear Jackie -
It was sure fun having you in P.E. last semester. Hope we'll have classes together next semester. Love - Pat Jones

Jackie — I really think you are swell. Have fun this summer & in your senior year. I hope you graduate cause I want)
Love) Donna Schumacher

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What Donna said goes for me, too. Marie Tomlinson

Dear Jackie, Lots of fun this summer but please be a "good" girl — have a great Senior year Joe Kristiansen

YOU ARE A SUPERIOR SPANISH STUDENT. PILES OF CRAZY-MIXED-UP LUCK ALWAYS — DON JACKSON

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Auf Wiederfeh'n
JIM TORMEY
Editor.

Jackie Keep smiling like this and you'll go places! Love, Marlene Anderson

Dear Jackie When you think of amigos think of me even though it's a relief to get out of class. Best of luck Carol Jones

To the best señorita
in Lucas 5th period
Spanish class!

Jim Nelson

Dear Jack,
Ehio kiss a
Ehio kiss and
ready year and I get
terrific ready
sure, we think I'll see ya
next time — get in ya
Even we are — I love
mad amounts — I don't
same ready — terrific
the way — terrific
acting ever read — please
don't correct, please
can't correct, please
Jacking, please — make
can't Jack (with
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a question
Jack
Jack
Jack

Good luck to
a real darling girl
in Study Hall. Boy!
what fun we've had
in here, if they only
know it's to their folks
were.

Lots of luck
Jeanne Smith

Have a wonderful summer —
hope we can get a couple
of gangs together this summer
and raise a little
Hell — you're a real kid,
that way — Good luck, Sam

Jackie-
Its been fun
having you in
So many classes
this year- I hope
we have lots to-
gether next year
too
Love and
Good Luck
marilyn

Lots of Luck
Ben Ross

16 —

May the Good Lord Bless you
May the Devil take your soul,
But may you always be a cute
little girl.

Good Luck next year
Bob. Cummins
Class of '57

Dear Jackie,
Hope we don't have
to wait until next
year — Good luck
always & have a blessed
Senior year —
Carla

Jackie —
I've enjoyed knowing
you by in large. Stay
as sweet " as
you were. "

Good
for

Jackie
It was been
Having you in
school with
Bartlett always.
Hope you achieve
all kinds of success
in the future
Stan Green

Good luck always
Barbara
McCabe

Hope you have a nice summer. I'll hope to see you around next year.

Love, Lucy Lou

Best of Luck
Have a great time
this summer and
the years to come
Jim Ralston

Dear Jackie,
Hi. Ya. JUST LOTS & LOTS of
luck To you in your Senior
year. Have fun This
summer. Love
Sherry
O'Neill

Dear Jackie
I've had a lot of
kicks this last semester.
Don't forget the good time
we had in history
Love, Paul Sheffield
From one good History
student to another. Good
luck in the future.
Unsion Terry

Just one more
and your out. Good
Luck
Art Lemmon
6/12/53

Dear Jackie,
Lotsa luck next
year fellow Senior
to be. Have fun
this summer. Hope
we're in some class
together next term.
Love
Pat

Good luck Jackie
I hope I have you in
one of my classes next
year.
Nitox

Dear Jackie
I've had a lot of kicks this last semester. Don't forget the good time we had in history
Love, Paul Sheffield